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JINGOIST ITAGAKI AT THE WAR OFFICE

Chinese Surprised After Taierchwang

ENGLAND'S TEST TEAM CHOSEN

The England cricket eleven to meet Australia in the First Test next Saturday will be selected from the following 13 players nominated after the trial match which was played at Lord's over the last three days:—

W. R. Hammond (Gloucester) (Captain).
K. Farnes (Essex).
J. C. Clay (Glamorgan).
Barnett, C. J. (Gloucester).
Verity, H. (Yorks.).
Hutton, L. (Yorks.).
Ames, L. E. G. (Kent).
Wright, D. V. P. (Kent).
Compton, D. (Middlesex).
Edrich, W. J. (Middlesex).
Hardstaff, J. (Notts).
Paynter, E. (Lancashire).
Pope, George (Derbyshire).
— Reuter.

SOUND TEAM

From what it is possible to judge from such information as has been cabled, the list represents a fine aggregation from which there is little doubt a sound team will eventually be selected.

Several names, however, are conspicuous by their absence. That of Leyland comes readily to mind. Many also thought that W. E. Bowes, the Yorkshire fast bowler, would have been seriously considered and then there is Sims, of Middlesex, who was considered to have a good chance of inclusion with his spinners.

R. E. S. Wyatt, of course, intimated to the selectors that he would be unable to take part in the test even if selected and the injury to G. O. Allen placed him out of the running.

SEVEN EX-TEST PLAYERS

Of those selected Hammond, Farnes, Barnett, Verity, Ames, Hardstaff and Paynter have represented England against the Australians, while most of the others have played against either the South Africans, the New Zealanders or India.

The name of Wright causes some speculation. From such records as

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Young Officer Group Maintaining Influence

Hankow, To-day.

The appointment of Lt.-Gen. Itagaki as Minister of War in Tokyo has surprised Chinese circles in view of his defeat at Taierchwang.

Interviewed by Reuter, the Chinese military spokesman stated that the appointment of Lt.-Gen. Itagaki was probably due to Premier Konoye's desire to include a representative of the young officers' group in the Cabinet.

He pointed out that although there were already five generals in the Cabinet, none of them was a member of this group.

Furthermore, the spokesman said, inclusion of Gen. Ugaki, who was bitterly opposed by the young officers, made it necessary to appoint Lt.-Gen. Itagaki, one of the recognised leaders of the group.

Lt.-Gen. Itagaki is known to have played an important role in the Mukden coup, and also in the present conflict. — Reuter.

ARMY MARCHING ON AMOY

Tokyo, To-day.

A Chinese army of more than 100,000 men is marching on Amoy, recently occupied by the Japanese, Japanese press reports from Amoy state.

A patrol boat of the Japanese navy ascertained that strong Chinese forces are being concentrated at Changchow, a coastal town in Fukien Province. — Reuter.

GREAT FLORIDA MAN-HUNT: NEW TRAIL

Princeton (Florida), To-day.

The great hunt for the kidnapped son of Mr. James Cash, the Florida oil dealer, continued yesterday without success, and the number of searchers has decreased.

A fleet of boats has extended the search to Florida Keys.

One hundred and fifty men combed the area in the vicinity of Cape Sable, and divers explored the sea bottom at Card Sound, the southernmost tip of Florida, where it is reported that a piece of blood-stained cloth was discovered.

G-Men are said to be rushing to the spot by car to inspect the find.

The missing boy's mother is prostrate with anxiety, and a doctor is in attendance on her. — Reuter.

NEW SENSATION IN AMERICAN SPY RING CASE

Berlin, To-day.

Mystery is piling on mystery in the American Nazi spy ring case.

Following the disappearance of Dr. Ignatz Griebel, another vital witness has apparently vanished into thin air.

He is a German named Gudenburg, for the arrest of whom a warrant was issued in New York after he had stowed away without a ticket on board the German liner "Hamburg."

Gudenburg was apparently on board the liner at Cherbourg and Southampton, where he declined to leave the ship, but when the "Hamburg" arrived at Cuxhaven yesterday, the man had mysteriously disappeared.

All passengers were disembarked but no information is forthcoming in regard to Gudenburg.

Nothing is known in Berlin in regard to his arrival or present whereabouts. — Reuter.

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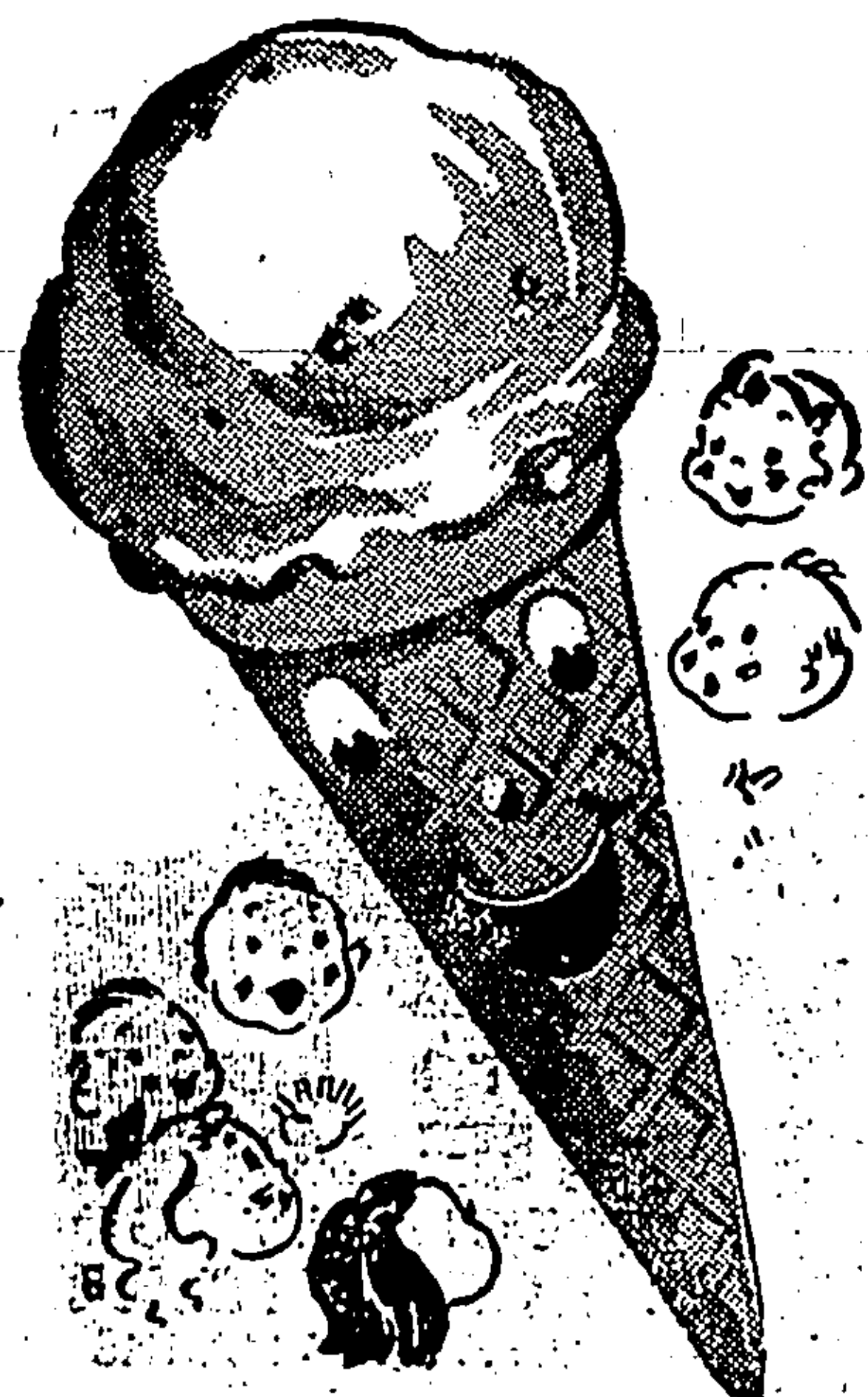
To the right.—She's got a new hat . . . it's an absolutely new fashion . . . she's pretty . . . she can wear it.

What woman could wish for more?

P.S.—The hat's in black straw, with a spray of lilies of the valley set upright on the top and the leaves overhanging the crown.



A MELTING MOMENT!



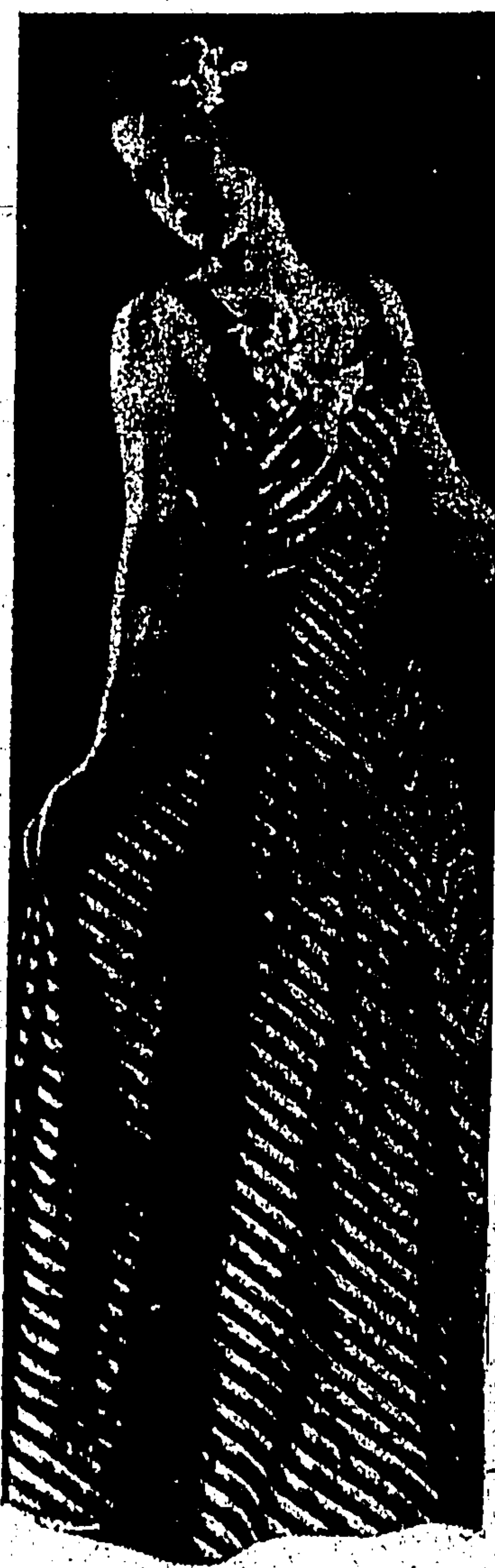
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Below. — We said yesterday "Spots are new but stripes are newer". Doesn't the frock pictured below justify our statement. A spray of orchids worn just a little to the side and a single flower pinned to the hair help to complete a very charming and chic outfit. And what susceptible male heart could withstand such loveliness.



WHAT TO DO WITH FISH

If you are worried about what to do with fish you bought here are some recipes that may help you.

SOLE IN CREAM SAUCE

Take one fillet of lemon sole for each person, lay fillets in a buttered fireproof dish.

Put the skin and bones of the fish on to boil with a slice of onion, herbs, seasoning, and a pint of water, boil till reduced to half the quantity.

Melt 1oz. butter, add 1oz. flour pour on the fish stock and thicken over the fire.

Add one tablespoonful whipped cream or top of the milk, pour the sauce over the fish, and put all in the oven for fifteen minutes.

Serve decorated with tinned peas.

LING PIE

Take 1lb. any other white fish.

Put a layer of uncooked rice in the bottom of a pie dish, then a layer of onion, then fish, then sliced potato. Continue till the dish is full.

Pour on a little water and seasoning, cover with pastry and bake in a moderate oven for one hour.

BAKED MACKEREL

Cut the head and fins off the fish, lay the fish in a buttered fireproof dish, add a squeeze of lemon, seasoning, and three tablespoons of water.

Cover with greaseproof paper, and bake in the oven for 15 minutes.

FILLETS OF SOLE CREOLE

Take one fillet of plaice or lemon sole per person, fry them in butter till golden. Lay them in a dish for serving, place a slice of fried banana on top of each.

Melt 1oz. butter in a pan, add one tablespoon tomato sauce, two tablespoons chutney, and a very little water to mix. Bring to boil and serve separately.

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He's Going To Slam That Door Again!

Noise is the great modern nuisance.

Every day it starts a family row somewhere.

Every day doctors examine men and women who have fallen victim to it.

Jangled nerves, fatigue, complete breakdown. These are symptoms which incessant noise can produce in perfectly normal people.

A quiet house is always an efficient one. Its mistress is usually a harmonious person who is intelligent enough to cut out needless noise.

She runs her house, quite literally, on oiled wheels.

Take doors, for example.

A slamming door is the arch cause of tempers in the house.

If your family won't learn door manners a door "check," an appliance which includes a strong spring, will ensure quiet.

A cheap and effective gadget is a rubber or felt buffer fixed on the frame of the door.

If the door swings back against furniture a stout rubber door stop is invaluable.

Special non-slam doors are fitted with rubber edges which close
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WHAT TO DO WITH FISH

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DEVILLED CRAB

Ingredients: Meat from the claws and body of a crab, quarter-pint of white sauce, one dessertspoonful chutney minced, one teaspoonful made mustard, Cayenne pepper and and salt to taste.

Mix all ingredients very thoroughly. Put ingredients in a shell, cover with brown breadcrumbs and bake fifteen minutes. A good supper or luncheon dish or can be eaten cold with salad.

When replacing 'worn' elastic track the new elastic on to the old and draw through. It is easier and quicker than using a bodkin.

"The same applies to tapes threaded through hems in any garment."

"Before pouring boiling water into any enamel receptable rinse with cold water.

"This prevents cracking and spoiling the enamel."

Its a good idea to make baby's nightgowns a little longer with an extra wide hem.

"Put a drawing string or tape through the hem and it can then be pulled up like a bag. However much they pull the clothes off, they will not get bare feet or legs."



FASHION WORTH NEWS. (Upper Left)—Every line in this little "Jack Tar" suit is cut for comfort. Every quality of the fabric is planned for long wear and satisfaction. (Upper Right)—Smocking trims the waist of these quaint full-skirted frocks. Tiny full sleeves give a smart, broad-shouldered look, and small buttons march squarely up the back. Comfortable dresses for big and little sister both.



Tartan gauze ribbon forms the bow with long streamers passing through a slotting in the turned-up half of the brim for winding round the neck in scarf fashion or tying in a bow beneath the chin. The model, by Ejad, is in orange-coloured straw.

gently over shaped stops on the door frame.

Think what that would mean in a nursery or an invalid's room.

We love space and simplicity in modern homes. But it means more noise.

The carpets, hangings and general clutter of the Victorian house were not hygienic, but it helped to make them nearly sound-proof.

Think of this if you feel urge to "get rid" drastically.

Simplicity is an excellent quality, but there are some rooms so "surgical" that even the scrape of a chair echoes wildly.

Silent floors are not often possible in the average house, but for a child's bedroom filled with romping feet, cork or rubber flooring would be a real investment.

Rubber flooring is made in exquisite colours and lasts a lifetime.

The kitchen is the cockpit of household noise. Pans, pans, and sink buckets can all be silenced with rubber gaskets edge covers and handles.

Dustbin-lids, especially, need not clang hideously if they are fitted with gaskets on the under rim.

Washing-up can make a nerve-racking noise, but it need not.

Put a rubber mat on your draining board and use a papier mache bowl. Or use a rubber sink mat if a bowl is no good for your family dish wash.

I have known women go on using tools that creaked and groaned when a few drops of oil would have made them silent and twice as efficient.

Look over all your mechanical tools once a month and see that they are properly lubricated.

Use good oil. It pays in the end.

Wheels lessen noise. Get them big enough on waggon and cots.

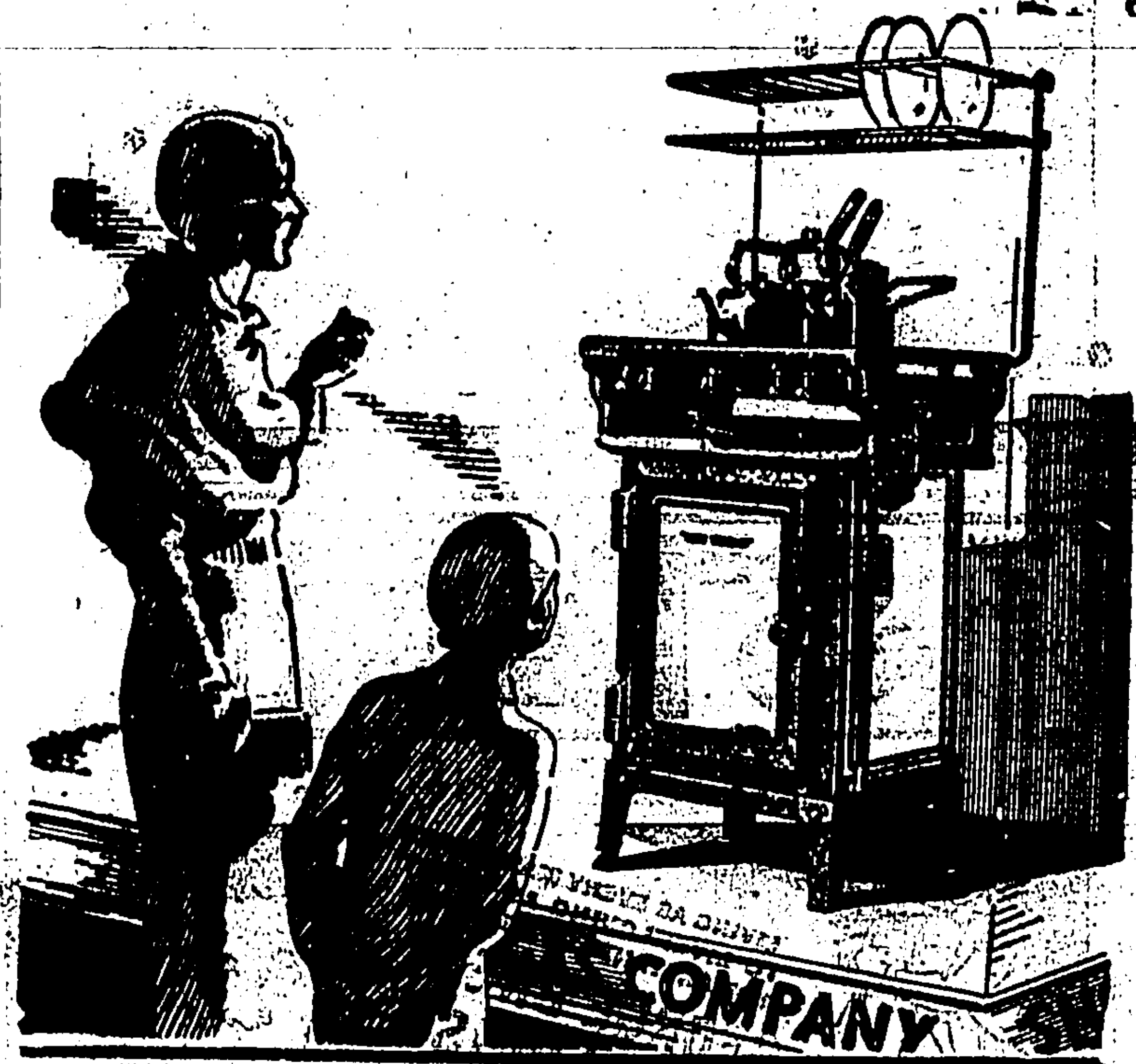
Choose only those vacuum cleaners, refrigerators and sewing machines which say they are almost silent and can prove it.

Have felt buffers on your mops, brooms and sweeper.

Quiet is economical. The tools and utensils which make most noise are the first to show signs of wear.

Last of all, remember that courtesy is the real cure for most noises.

The wireless which is not allowed to advertise its presence to the whole neighbourhood... the door shut gently... the quiet good-byes after midnight. Small things, perhaps, in themselves, but all possible and all anti-noise.



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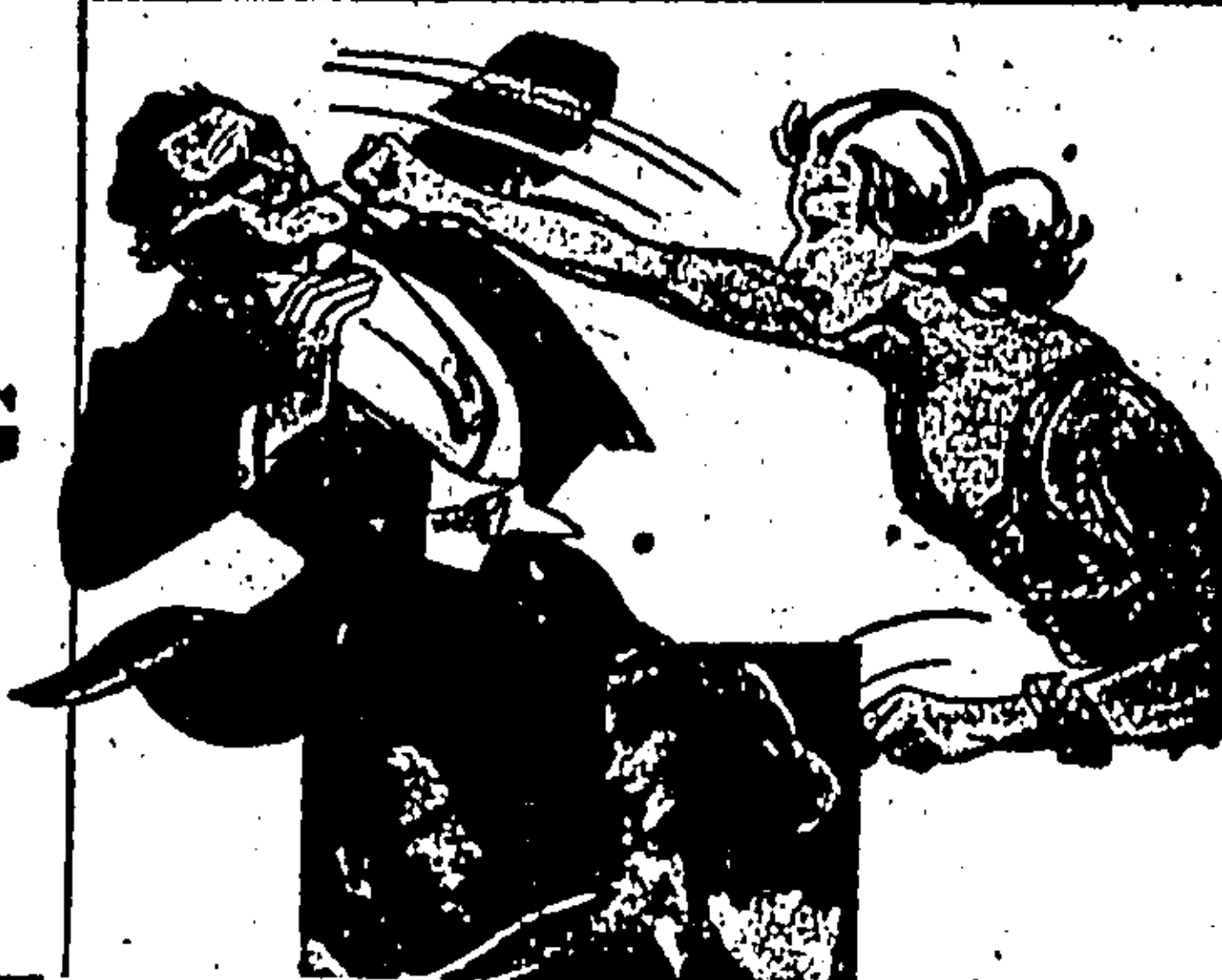
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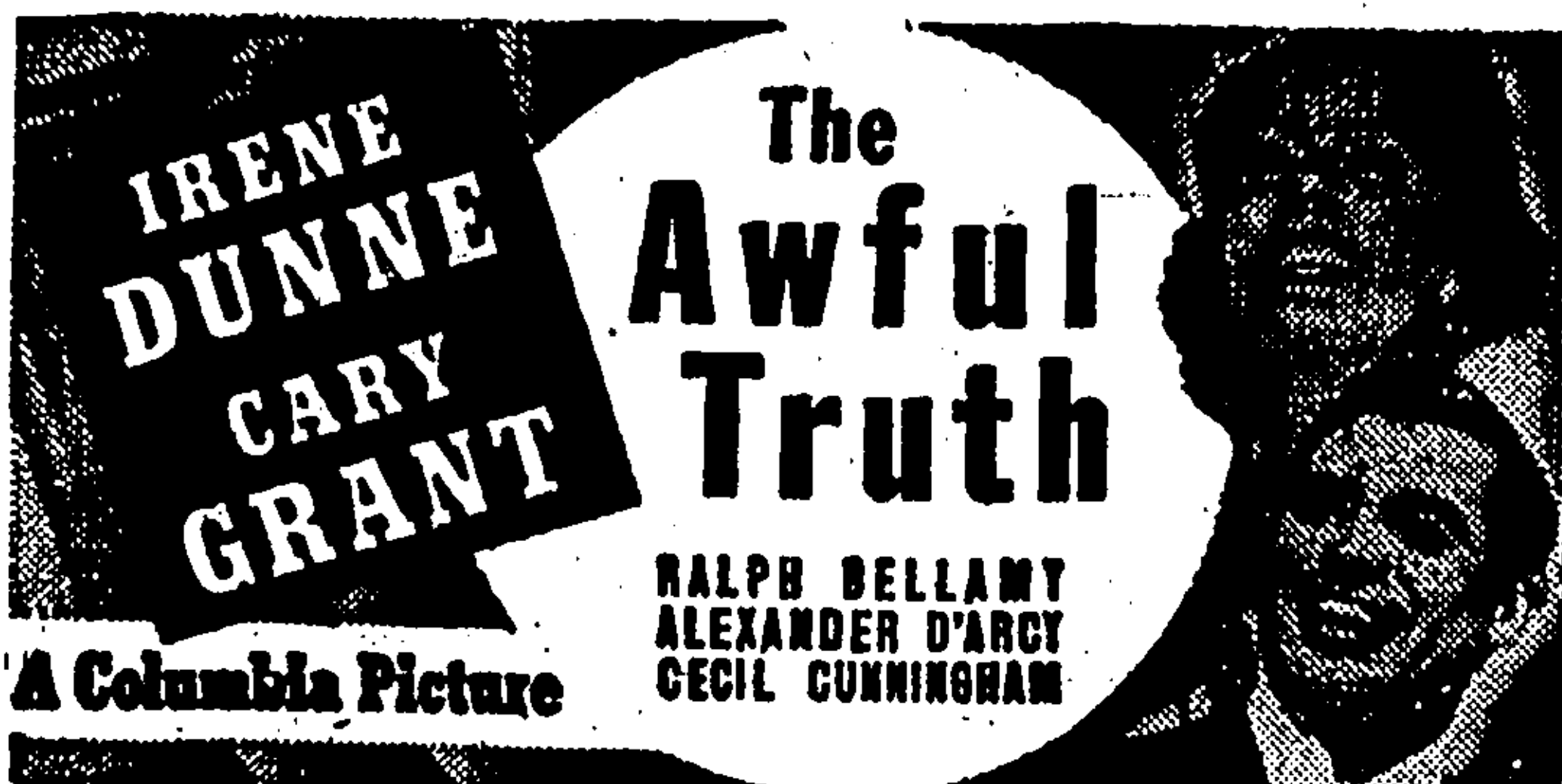
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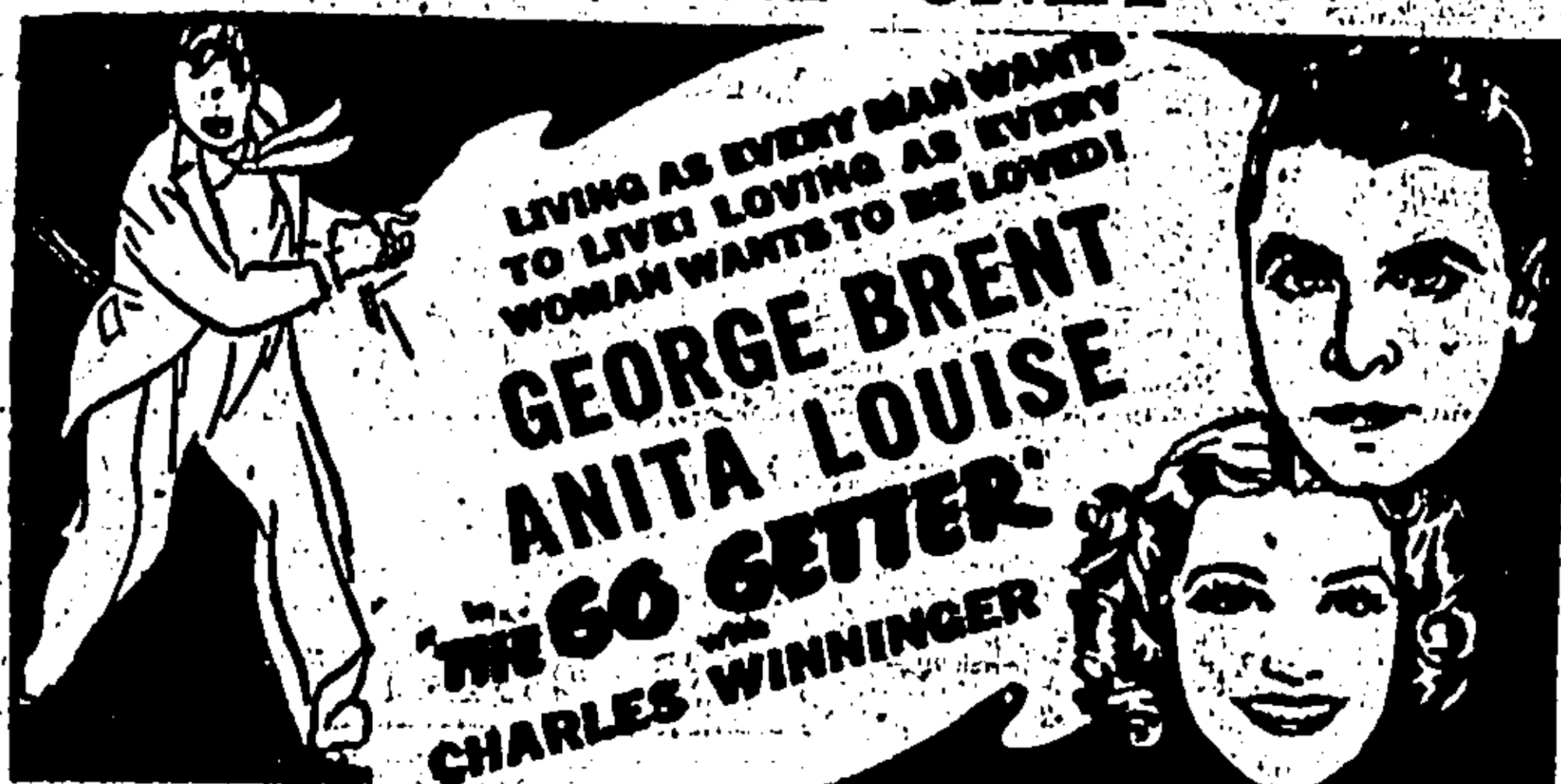
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MR. T. H. KING PRESENTED POLICE MEDAL

His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, last evening at Police Headquarters presented to Mr. T.H. King, Commissioner of Police, the King's Police Medal. His Excellency also distributed Colonial Police Long Service Medals and other awards.

His Excellency said:

"Mr. King, I have it in command from His Majesty the King to present to you the King's Police Medal. The King's Police Medal is the highest distinction which a Policeman, as such, can earn. You are, I have no doubt, rightly proud of the honour which His Majesty has conferred upon you. But let me say that you may equally be proud on three other counts: firstly, of your fine record as a Police Officer with thirty-four years service; secondly, the high esteem in which you are held by everyone in this Colony; and lastly but chiefly, of the excellent Police Force which you have helped to train and now command. For myself I appreciate most highly the steady and loyal help which I invariably get from you. It is with great satisfaction that I now present this medal to you."

Other awards were:—

Inspector Carey: Hong Kong Police Silver Medal.

Sergeant Wasawa Singh: Hong Kong Police Silver Medal.

Lance Sergeant Michie: Belilos Life Saving Medal.

Asst. Chief Dist. Watchman LI WAH: District Watch Medal First Class.

Detective District Watchman LAI CHI CHEUNG: District Watch Medal Second Class.

District Watchman CHUNG WAN: District Watch Medal Third Class.

Detective Dist. Watchman TSE PAN YEE: District Watch Medal Third Class.

District Watchman WONG KONG: District Watch Medal Third Class.

INSPECTION

After inspecting the Police Reserve. H.E., in a short speech, said: It has given me a great deal of pleasure to inspect your ranks this afternoon and I would like to begin these few remarks by complimenting you on your steady and workmanlike appearance on parade.

Secondly, I wish to express the high appreciation felt by Government of the services which you render to the community. It is within my knowledge that from September to march last the Police Reserve regularly provided nightly patrols for half the night in supplementation of the Colony's Police. But apart from regular duties of that nature the members of the Police Reserve, I am glad to think, act up to the idea that they are never off duty. During 1937 some fifteen Constables were specially commended by the Commissioner for zeal and alertness when out of uniform or for timely help to the Regular Police on various occasions. That is a fine record for one year. I feel confident that 1938 will show no diminution of your energy and devotion.

Owing to the present stress through which Hong Kong is going, caused by the war between China and Japan, your duties and responsibilities are liable to be heavier than usual but I am confident that whatever the call you will stand the strain well.

It gives me much pleasure to see here to-day the two Honorary Commissioners of the Chinese and Indian Companies, Dr. T'so and Mr. Abbas Khan. It was, I know, due principally to the former that the Chinese Company of this Citizen Force came into being: the latter has always loyally supported the Indian Company. These two Companies to-day form the main strength of the Force.

The Flying Squad has done much useful service in traffic control on many occasions during the year: it is a valuable adjunct to the regular constabulary in that connection.

I am sorry to learn of the drop in numbers of the Emergency Unit. New duties, connected with Air Raid precautions, are likely to devolve upon the Unit and it is of very great im-

NEW OPERATIC SOPRANO

Sir Thomas Beecham, turning the knobs of his wireless set, heard a Polish soprano singing and was so impressed that he searched for her in Germany.

As a result Margarethe Kubatzki, 26, will succeed Mme. Kerstin Flagstad, the Norwegian soprano, at Covent Garden, and on the second night of the international season will sing Senta in "The Flying Dutchman".

"I regard Kubatzki as one of the most important discoveries of recent years," Sir Thomas Beecham stated. "If this young singer develops along the right lines she ought to be one day the greatest Brunhilde and Isolde of her generation."

"I heard her by accident. One evening last October I was turning the various knobs of a wireless set in the almost vain hope of finding some broadcast programmes worthy of a musician's serious attention."

"Suddenly I heard a magnificent fresh voice which seemed to be taking part in an operatic performance which was being broadcast."

Two Years On Stage

"I listened to the end of the act and heard the cast announced, and when I went to Germany in November to make the records of the 'Magic Flute,' I inquired of every eminent German musician I met as to what he knew about Kubatzki. None of them even knew the name."

"In March I determined to find this singer at all costs, and I rang up every opera house in Germany until I found her in Leipzig. She came up and sang to me in Berlin."

"After she had sung ten bars it was quite clear that here was the most promising young singer of her type since Destinn."

Kubatzki has been on the stage only two years. She is the youngest of the eight children of a French-Italian mother and a Polish father who settled in Germany shortly before the war.

YOUNG CHINESE SPORTSGIRL'S DEATH

The death of Miss Margaret Chan, 21-year-old daughter of a well-known Vancouver business man occurred at 2 a.m. to-day at the Hong Kong Sanatorium, a victim of meningitis.

Deceased was attached to Messrs. Mok Ying-kee, local stock-brokers, and was also well-known in sporting circles, having last year captained the Hing Wah Club to win the Senior Girls' Basket-ball Championship.

Deceased's parents are in Vancouver.

The funeral will take place tomorrow, the cortege leaving the Sanatorium at 5 p.m.

His Excellency the Governor has appointed Mr. Richard Edwards to be District Officer in the Northern District of the New Territories, with effect from 6th June, 1938.

portance therefore that its strength should be renewed.

Officers and men of the Police Reserve, I thank you for your excellent work during the past year and I wish you all good luck in the days before us.

PRINCE MENTIONED IN SHOT GIRL CASE WILL WED WEALTHY WIDOW

London, May 19.
Romance has come again into the life of Prince Michael Radziwill, sixty-five-year-old cousin of the ex-Kaiser. Soon, at a London register office, he will marry Mrs. Harriet Stewart Dawson, wealthy widow of fifty-seven.

Twice recently his name has been connected with other women. One was Jeannette Suchestov — beautiful Jewess, twenty-eight, mannequin in his native Poland. They were engaged, she said.

Her first marriage had just been dissolved. "Michael and I hope to

marry soon in his palace near Warsaw . . . We shall be very happy . . ."

Then came rumours of differences.

Prince Michael quietened them with the remark: "Despite everything, I will marry Jeannette . . ."

Hardly were these words published than his name was dragged into headlines again — this time not by romance. But by tragedy.

A shot had been heard in a Bayswater boarding-house. A girl had been found dying — Mary Atkinson, former secretary of this Polish aristocrat.

DENIED RENDEZVOUS

The inquest found the Prince criticised by the coroner.

It was stated he had left Mary Atkinson "stranded" without money, without answering her letters, in Nazi-ridden Danzig. There, it was added, he was to have joined her, but failed to do so.

Later came his own version — a denial.

Miss Atkinson, he said, flew to Danzig with a Pole she was to marry.

Prince Michael also denied he had arranged to meet her, adding there had never been any question of his marrying Mary Atkinson, nor that she had guaranteed his debts.

The Prince is described in the notice of marriage as the divorced husband of Joaquina Radziwill, formerly Santa Suzana de Medinilla. His address is a Brighton hotel.

Mrs. Dawson is the widow of Stewart Dawson, the well-known goldsmith.

She stated yesterday they had known each other for six months. "We met in the South of France at Monte Carlo," she said.

When Prince Michael decided to marry Mme. Suchestov he adopted her six-year-old son.

Then the Radziwill family opposed the marriage and the adoption.

Warsaw Courts deprived him of his right to manage his huge estates.

His income in Poland was said to be £50,000.

SHIP CARRYING 335 SINKS IN NEW YORK BAY

New York, May 29.

The s.s. Mandalay, carrying 335 passengers, sank in New York Bay to-day after a collision with the vessel, Acadia. There was no loss of life, however, all those aboard the stricken ship being taken off safely by the Acadia.

Recounting their harrowing experience, the survivors say the Prow of the Acadia penetrated several yards through the hull and decks of the Mandalay, which foundered in less than a quarter of an hour.

The crew of the rammed vessel behaved in meritorious fashion, preventing panic among the passengers and thereby enabling them all to be taken on board the Acadia. Later, the survivors were taken ashore on board Coast Guard cutters which came speedily to the scene of the tragedy.

The Acadia, bound for Bermuda, was slightly damaged as a result of the collision and gave up its scheduled trip.

THE SCIENCE OF CONTRACT BRIDGE

Bidding at Contract Bridge is an exact science, and in order to get the best results it is necessary for a partnership to follow a well-devised system. Any partnership which disregards systems and bids along what it terms "common-sense" lines is bound to end on the rocks before it has weathered perhaps even a single storm.

The best system at Contract is the one which results in securing the largest percentage of makable games and Slams coupled with suffering the minimum number of sizable penalties. Deception is an indispensable part of any good bidding system, for by its use defensive play is made more difficult and the opportunities to inflict penalties are enhanced. In my opinion, the deceptive feature of the system advocated by the Four Aces is one of its strongest assets.

The crucial of any system is its ability to survive when used in gruelling competition over a period of time. Theories may be beautiful and well devised, but in games, as in life, it is practical results which count.

The tournament record of the Four Aces during the past two years is known everywhere. Its supreme excellence is the best index of the value of the system which they have developed and employ. Their articles contain a careful and conscientious analysis of their winning system, the salient features of which they are disclosing to the Contract world for the first time. This system is the joint product of several master minds. All of its parts have been carefully attuned, painstakingly tested and blended into a most comprehensive whole.

I have been most favourably impressed by the authors' advocacy of a number of, to the Bridge-playing public, new principles, many of which have been devised to keep the bidding on the lowest possible level, and at the same time permit the maximum exchange of information. I consider theirs by far the most valuable of recent contributions to Contract Bridge literature.

The "China Mail" has secured the exclusive rights of publication of the Four Aces articles, which will begin on Monday. The opening articles cover the technical details of the System, the conventions etc.

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AMERICAN CONDEMNATION OF RUTHLESS BOMBING OF CIVILIAN POPULATIONS

Washington, To-day.

Mr. Sumner Welles, Assistant Secretary of State, after a talk with President Roosevelt, yesterday issued a long statement to the press condemning the "ruthless bombing of women and other non-combatants in Spain and China."

The statement declares that the people of the United States regard such warfare as barbarous.

Asked whether the statement had any connection with the recent British representations to Gen. Franco, Mr. Sumner Welles said that the United States "is, of course, acting entirely independently."

He added that his statement was not being communicated to Gen. Franco or the Japanese Government.—Reuter.

INSURGENT AIR FORCE'S ACTIVITY

Teruel, To-day.

The insurgent air force was again extremely active yesterday. In the morning planes bombed a number of the enemy positions between Teruel and the coast, amongst them the bases at Mora de Rubielos and Albocacer.

Two loyalist planes were shot down by insurgent anti-aircraft batteries when a squadron attacked the aerodrome at San Matteo de las Wuentes.

An examination of the planes showed that the machines were of Soviet Russian origin. The insurgent battle planes which pursued the raiders are also said to have shot down two planes.

NEW OFFENSIVE

On the southern sector of the front the Navarrese troops launched a new offensive and have as previously reported already approach-

PROTEST TO JAPAN?

Paris, To-day.

Dr. Wellington Koo, Chinese Ambassador in Paris, yesterday asked the Foreign Minister, M. Georges Bonnet, whether the Powers would make a protest to Japan similarly to the protest to Gen. Franco against the bombing of civilian populations.

It was announced in the Commons yesterday that Sir Robert Craigie, British Ambassador in Tokyo, had been instructed to protest urgently against indiscriminate bombings by the Japanese air force.—Reuter.

ed close to Vistabella which is located half way between Mosqueruela and Adzaneta.

The advance of these troops constitute a serious threat to the Republican divisions between the sea and Albocacer, since these divisions can now be attacked from the rear.—Trans-Ocean.



Deck quilts in the sunny Mediterranean — homeward bound to England. A delightful picture taken on board the Arandora Star. (Copyright).

GERMANY LODGE ANOTHER PROTEST WITH PRAGUE

Firm In Tone, But Not Violent Or Threatening

Measures To Prevent Repetition Asked

Prague, To-day.

Germany yesterday presented a Note to Czechoslovakia.

Firm in tone, but not violent, the Note deals with eleven cases, mostly of alleged violation of the frontier by Czech planes, and four cases of aggression on German citizens.

It asks for a searching inquiry, punishment of the guilty and measures to prevent repetition.

It is gathered that the Note also suggests that with a view to eliminating the risk of further incidents, soldiers and gendarmes should not carry ball cartridges and should not enter public houses, and that Reservists should gradually be disbanded.

DISBANDMENT OF RESERVISTS

As far as can be gathered in official quarters, none of these proposals is likely to prove impossible or even difficult to accept.

It is officially stated that the Czech Government has decided to extend and accelerate the disbandment of Reservists, and it is learned that some 50,000 men have already been sent home.—Reuter.

INDIGNATION FELT

Berlin, To-day.

The German Minister in Prague has been instructed to inform the Czech Foreign Office that great indignation is prevailing in German official quarters at the excesses against Germans.

The Minister has lodged a sharp protest against the forceable removal of the German flag from a German couple and the ill-treatment of another.—Reuter.

ENERGETIC PROTEST

Berlin, To-day.

It is announced here that an energetic protest has been lodged by the German Minister in Prague, Dr. Eisenlohr, with the Czechoslovak Foreign Ministry against previously reported forcible confiscation of the swastika flag in the house of the Reich German married couple, Herr and Frau Enner, by Czechoslovak soldiers, and also against maltreatment of a Reich German citizen, named Schnepf.—Trans-Ocean.

WHALING CONFERENCE

Washington, To-day.

The United States Government has accepted the British Government's invitation to attend the International Whaling Conference in London on June 13 to study the results of the recent whaling season, and to consider if any modification or extension is necessary of

INCITEMENT TO KIDNAPPING ALLEGED

London, To-day.

A charge of inciting another man to conspire with him to kidnap Lord Nuffield, was preferred against John Thornton when he appeared at Oxford Police Court yesterday morning.

Thornton, who was arrested outside the Morris Works last Tuesday following an alleged attempt to "kidnap" the motor magnate, was only in court for a minute.

He was remanded until June 9.—Reuter.

JEWISH YOUTHS SENTENCED TO DEATH

Haifa, To-day.

Two Jewish youths were yesterday sentenced to death by the military court here.

They were arrested last April in connection with the firing of shots at an Arab bus in north Palestine, and were found to be carrying revolvers, ammunition and bombs.

Another Jewish youth was also tried and found mentally deficient. He was ordered to be detained at his Majesty's pleasure.—Reuter.

existing international whaling agreements.

The United States delegates will be Mr. Hershel Johnson, Counsellor of the U. S. Embassy in London, Dr. Remington Kellogg, of the Smithsonian Institute, and Commander Derby, of the U. S. Coast-guard Service.—Reuter.

SUN FO NOW AT THE HAGUE

The Hague, To-day.
Dr. Sun Fo, China's special envoy to Europe, arrived here yesterday and was met by the Chinese Minister.
It is expected that Dr. Sun Fo will return to China in a few days.—Reuter.

CHUNGSHAN AREA RETURNING TO NORMAL

Macao, To-day.

News from Shekki, brought to Macao by Chinese, state that although Martial Law is still enforced and nobody is allowed in the streets after nine p.m., the whole of the District of Chungshan is gradually adopting an atmosphere of normalcy.

Business is being carried on as usual. The exodus of women and children has lessened considerably.

These changes are attributed to the absence of Japanese planes during the past week and the report that Japanese gunboats which were patrolling the coast of Chungshan have left.—Our Own Correspondent.

STRANGE CZECH SHOOTING INCIDENT

Prague, To-day.

A new incident which fortunately, however, did not have any serious consequences is reported from the village of Haslau near the town of Asch in the Sudeten German region.

According to the report a member of a detachment of the Czech Federal police force which has been sent to Asch as reinforcements for the local police, threatened the owner of a restaurant, his employees and guests with a revolver and finally fired two shots at the restaurant owner when the latter left the house to alarm the guard.

RECEIVED WITH SHOTS

The gendarme who arrived in response to the restaurant owner's summons for help was likewise received with shots by the police constable.

An official statement issued by the Czech authorities yesterday evening declares that the constable fired the shots apparently in a "state of temporary insanity," and adds that the constable was sent to Eger for an examination of his mental condition.

The statement promises that a thorough enquiry will be held.—Trans-Ocean.

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AIR FORCE PRODUCTION

Growing Disparity Between Britain And Germany

Effort May Have To Be Trebled

WHETHER THE PLANS NOW LAID WILL ENABLE GREAT BRITAIN TO KEEP PACE IN AIRCRAFT PRODUCTION WITH GERMANY IS THE MOST VITAL CONSIDERATION ON WHICH THE AIR MINISTRY'S PREPARATIONS WILL BE JUDGED.

Scheme "F" for expansion, which has now been superseded, provided for a first-line strength of 1,750 aircraft for home defence by the end of March next year.

At the present moment the strength for home defence is 1,560, so that merely upon that could the position appears to be satisfactory.

Delayed By Strike

But upon closer examination there is reason for uneasiness. It was recently admitted that a serious shortage of certain instrumental equipment was, to say the least, holding up an important side of training.

It is stated that supplies of this equipment are now adequate. But an assurance that this is the case would be acceptable.

An even graver deficiency is that there is reason to believe that a proportion of the 1,560 first-line aircraft for home defence still-line the gunnery for which certain classes are designed, and is for this reason not to be counted on the effective strength.

The manufacture of these turbines was partly delayed by a labour strike, which probably could not have been foreseen; but the effect of the delay imposes a modification to the claim that production of the Scheme "F" programme is "in advance of schedule."

Germany is undoubtedly building aircraft at a considerably greater rate than England. How much greater is not exactly

known, and this is a matter upon which it is highly desirable that the Air Ministry should make a statement.

Shortage Of Materials

A great deal has been done in the past two years; but if, as there is some reason to believe, Germany is now able to turn out finished aircraft at the rate of 300 a month and more, as compared with our 200 a month, there is a rapidly accumulating disparity of strength. Moreover, it has been stated that Germany has the capacity to double her present output.

After making all allowances, the situation, in view of Britain's far greater vulnerability to air attack, is serious.

Although the production capacity under Scheme "F" will, we are told, be doubled in the next six months, it is suggested in well-informed quarters that measures ought to be taken to provide for its trebling, or even quadrupling.

It is also pointed out that assurance is necessary that production will not be delayed, as it was at one period, by shortage of materials. Failure in other directions could not easily have been avoided. For example, failure of a sub-contractor to supply certain components has delayed the production of a new fighter which is to form an important part of our defensive measures.

In another case there has been

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THE EYES OF BRITAIN OVER EGYPT. Constant air patrols are carried out in Egypt and much of this work is carried out by the R.A.F. from the base at Heliopolis. Machines lined up outside the hangars at Heliopolis ready for a flight make a striking camera study. (Copyright).

NEW SYSTEM OF DE-ICING PLANES DEMONSTRATED

A new method of preventing ice formation on aeroplanes by the use of colloidal metal paint through which an electrical current is passed, was demonstrated recently in London.

Although the test was not made under flying conditions, there appeared to be no reason to doubt the efficacy of this method.

The system embodies a new electrical resistance and may have a great many applications besides that of preventing ice formation on aeroplanes.

failure to execute an order for a certain type of training machine.

Increased Personnel

There is an impression that the Air Ministry is caught unprepared for emergencies of this kind.

Provision of the greatly increased personnel which the scheme will need will not be a simple matter.

So far it has not been necessary to lower the physical or other standards for admission to the Air Force; and, despite competing demands for the other Services, there need not, perhaps, be any anxiety on this score. Whether the present organisation of the Air Force is capable of dealing with the great influx demanded is another matter.

There must be a much bigger intake of aircraft apprentices. Halton and the smaller schools are full. There is a new and very big school in process of building at Cosford, near Wolverhampton, but it is to accommodate a large number in the present year building will have to be expedited.

The secret lies with the colloidal paint. The transmission of electricity is a simple matter, needing only normal apparatus and connections.

GREAT HEAT GENERATED

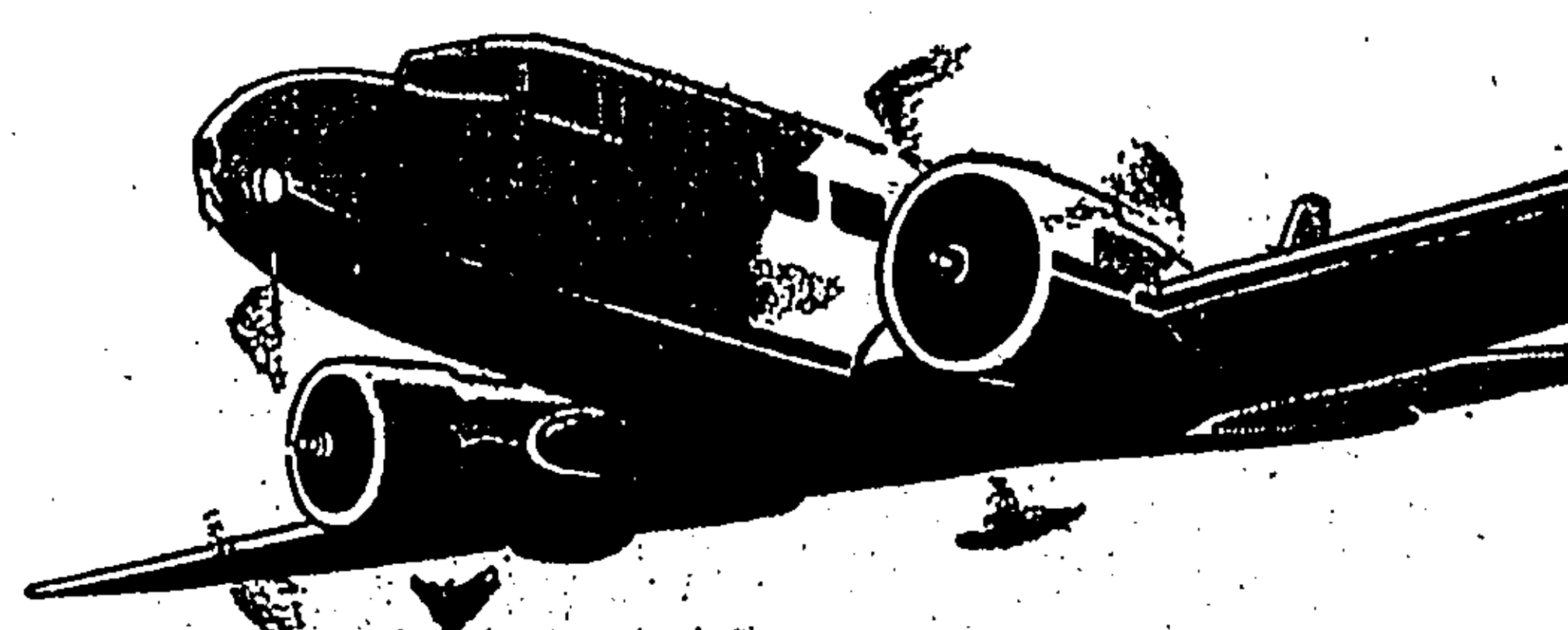
The power needed for a big airliner would not exceed 8 h.p., and it could be supplied by a small dynamo, carrying out other subsidiary duties in the machine. No important demand would be made on the aeroplane's engines, for these are not normally run at more than about 65 per cent. of their full power, and can therefore easily spare something for the occasional brief periods of flying in ice-forming conditions.

A current of only 25 volts is required, but the heat obtainable may be as high as 600deg Cent. Even this great heat does not injure the metallised paint.

The method can be applied, it is claimed, not only to the leading edges of the wings, but to propellers, control members, wireless aerials and other parts.

Already there are long waiting lists of flight pupils who have been accepted for training in the Volunteer Reserve and certain other branches; and there is a large number of subsidised flying clubs, the machines and instructors of which have but little to do during five days in the week.

The suggestion, supported though it was on all sides, that the Air Ministry should arrange for the utilisation of these idle machines and only partially employed instructors for, at any rate, part training for the Air Force, has not yet been adopted, although clearly it will



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CHINESE REFUSE TO FIGHT BATTLE IN HONAN PLAINS

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HEAVY FIGHTING ALONG LUNGHAI RAILWAY

Hankow, To-day.

The Chinese do not intend to fight a decisive battle in the plains of Honan along the Lunghai Railway, where they are at a disadvantage, declared the Chinese military spokesman to Reuter. The spokesman added that the plains were best suited for the operations of Japanese mechanised units.

He hinted, however, at the possibility of the Chinese forces offering stubborn resistance along the Lunghai Railway in order to make the enemy pay a heavy price for every inch of ground gained. — Reuter.

Kaifeng, To-day.

A message received from the front lated last night states that the walled city of Chihhsien, 30 miles south of Lanfeng is still in Chinese hands, and that fighting is proceeding east of the city.

After penetrating through Ningling, 30 kilometres west of Kweiteh, a Japanese column has reached Wanstichai, south of Liuho station, 34 kilometres west of Kweiteh, where they are being engaged by the Chinese. — Central News.

DOIHARA STILL TRAPPED

Hankow, To-day.

Strong Chinese forces are striking simultaneously from the north and south of the Lunghai Railway on the Japanese column which has reached the Lanfeng area, reported General Chen Cheng, Director of the Training Board of the National Military Council, in a press interview.

Severe fighting is proceeding south of Liuho station and east of Chihhsien.

Japanese troops of the Doihara Division at Sanyichai and Kuhsing-chai, on the south bank of the Yellow River are still subjected to furious attacks by the Chinese, General Chen stated.

EAST HONAN

Despite the menace of the Japanese columns pushing westward from north Anhwei into east Honan, strong Chinese reinforcements are ready to strike back against them, General Chen asserted.

General Chen confirmed the Chinese recapture of Tashushan, six miles west of Hefei after a signal victory over the Japanese. The Chinese are now right outside the gates of Hefei city.

In south Shansi the Chinese are decidedly gaining an upper hand. Fenglingtu, Yusiang, Hanyangchen and Yungtsi (Puchow) have all been re-occupied and the remnant Japanese in the surrounding districts are being "mopped up." — Central News.

His Excellency the Governor has appointed Mr. Thomas William Harold Hosgood to act as Deputy Harbour Master, during the absence on leave of Commander Joseph Bernard Newill, D.S.O., R.N. (retired) or until further notice, with effect from 28th May, 1938.

UNABATED VIOLENCE IN LANFENG CLASH

Hankow, To-day.

Severe fighting around Lanfeng, on the Lunghai front, is still continuing with unabated violence according to reports received here, which add that the situations is unchanged.

Both sides are said to have suffered heavy losses.

Japanese reports concerning general retreat of the Chinese troops in a westerly direction are denied here.

It is also denied that the Japanese captured the town of Kihhsien to the south of Lanfeng.

It is asserted here that the vanguard of the Japanese troops advancing in this region had reached a position only six miles south of this town, where it has been halted by the Chinese defenders.

In order to check the Japanese flanking attack on the Peiping-Hankow Railway, strong Chinese detachments are said to be advancing from Hefei, in the Province of Anhwei, on the town of Luyi, but no information is forthcoming here about the movements of those detachments.

It is stated that the Japanese Doihara Division, which is being attacked on three sides by the Chinese to the northwest of Lanfeng, has been compelled to remove its headquarters from the southern bank of the Yellow River to the village of Kwantai, on the northern bank.

The Chinese are successfully resisting Japanese efforts to relieve the Doihara Division from the north, and have prevented the enemy from crossing the Yellow River at Puhhsien, on the borders of the provinces of Hopei and Shantung. — Trans-Ocean.

CELTIC REACH FINAL OF EMPIRE EXHIBITION TOURNAMENT

Glasgow, To-day. — In the Semi-final of the British Empire Exhibition Association Football Tournament, Celtic, winners of the First Division of the Scottish League, beat the Hearts by the only goal of the match. — Reuter.

STEEL CARTEL SAVED

Brussels, To-day.

An agreement has been reached between Belgian steel-makers regarding distribution of the domestic steel quota.

The agreement removes the final obstacle to reconstitution of the International Steel Cartel as from July 1. — Reuter.

USE OF POISON GAS SHELLS ALLEGED

Liuan, Anhwei, To-day.

After being repeatedly thrown back by the Chinese defenders, the Japanese column pushing westward from Hwaiyuan in north Anhwei allegedly used gas shells to attack the Chinese and effected crossing over the Lo River to the south bank at Hsin-chengkow on June 2.

An entire Chinese battalion was killed by the gas shells.

After crossing the river, the Japanese attacked the Chinese positions at the Tatumg and Hwainan Coal Mines and on the highway near Tientchiaan. The Chinese were forced to withdraw in face of heavy bombardment from the enemy.

The Japanese column pushing westward from Tingyuan, 33 miles west of the Tientsin-Pukow Railway in Anhwei, is challenged by the Chinese at Peiluchiao. The Chinese have occupied the rising ground around the place and are effectively holding out against the enemy.

The small town of Peiluchiao has been reduced to ruins by severe Japanese artillery and aerial bombardment during the last two days.

Three Japanese planes raided Shouhsien in central Anhwei yesterday. Over 20 bombs were dropped. The damage was, however, slight. — Central News.

JOINED NUDIST CAMP TO SLIM — ELOPED

Slim Suzanne Schuster, sixteen, was a member of a Gravelly, New Jersey (U.S.) nudist camp.

Plump sister Lillian, eighteen, wasn't Suzanne persuaded her to join, said it would help her to lose weight.

Lillian agreed, and thereafter neighbours saw the two girls cavorting with young men in the nude. The sisters didn't care; both of them enjoyed the camp so much that they planned to rejoin when it opened again.

Then Lillian went to New York to keep a date with a fellow nudist.

A few days later Suzanne set off to Philadelphia, also to meet a nudist.

Neither has returned.

Now, police in either states are hunting for them. They are believed to have eloped.

HOME CRICKET RESULT

Rain Interrupts

The following are the results of first-class cricket matches concluding yesterday:—

COUNTY MATCHES

At Southend, Worcester beat Essex by 60 runs.

Worcester—192 (Peter Smith 6 for 68) and 147.

Essex—135 (Jackson 4 for 25), and 144 (Jackson 7 for 44).

At the Oval, Warwick beat Surrey by 5 wickets.

Surrey—179 (Hollies 4 for 54) and 186 (Hollies 5 for 47).

Warwick—138 and 228 for 5.

At Folkestone, Somerset beat Kent on the first innings.

Kent—179 (Andrews 6 for 51).

Somerset—230 (Gimblett 112).

At Huddersfield, Yorkshire beat Hampshire on the first innings.

Yorkshire—202 (Boyes 6 for 73) and 24 for 3.

Hampshire—188 (Leyland 8 for 63).

At Preston, the match between Lancashire and Sussex was abandoned with Sussex 120 for 7 in reply to Lancashire's 173.

OTHER MATCHES

At Bristol, the Australians beat Gloucester by 10 wickets.

Gloucester—78 (O'Reilly 6 for 22) and 107 (O'Reilly 5 for 45; Fleetwood-Smith 4 for 39).

Australians—164 (Badcock 51, Brown 18 Hassett 29, Chipperfield 9, McCabe 0; Sinfield 8 for 65) and 25 for 0.

At Oxford, the University beat Middlesex by 2 wickets.

Middlesex—167 (Young 5 for 37) and 215 (Pershke 5 for 48).

Oxford—183 and 201 for 8.

The Test Trial at Lord's was left drawn.

The Rest—298 (Paynter 79, Fishlock 2, Yardley 31, Wilcox 20, Dollery 25; Verity 4 for 71) and 188 for 3 (Fishlock 109 not out, Wilcox 0, Paynter 1, Yardley 28, Dollery 40 not out).

England—377 (Hammond 107, Hardstaff 35, Verity 29, Smith 21 not out; Pollard 5 for 57).

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

At Lord's—Middlesex v. Sussex.

At Southend—Essex v. The Australians.

At Derby—Derbyshire v. Warwickshire.

At Southampton—Hampshire v. Kent.

At Leicester—Leicestershire v. Northamptonshire.

At Trent Bridge—Nottinghamshire v. Surrey.

At Taunton—Somersetshire v. Gloucestershire.

At Worcester—Worcestershire v. Glamorganshire.

At Bradford—Yorkshire v. Lancashire.

At Oxford—The University v. Free Foresters.

GOVERNMENT GRANTS TO NEWLY-WEDS

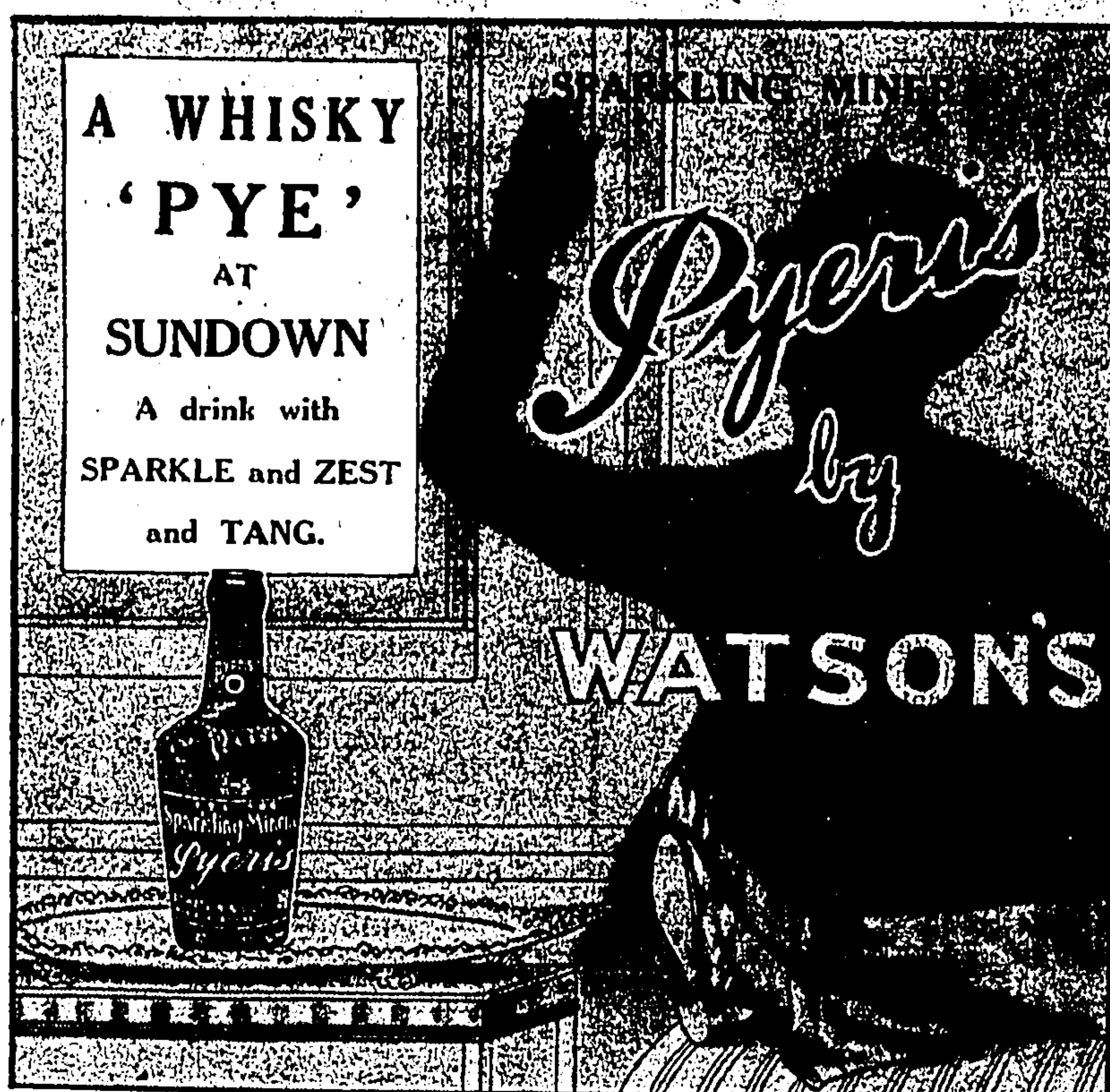
Grants have been made to some 700 newly-married couples in Stockholm by the Government to aid them to buy furniture for their homes. The grants were presented in accordance with a law passed last year to help people of small means to marry.

A large number of couples applied for grants, and 700 were selected. The grants amount to £25 or £30, and in some exceptional cases to a little over £50.

The same law contains provisions to encourage married couples to have families, including grants give 8oz. in 8oz. of paraffin infants.

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THE ROOSEVELT DRIVE

Formation in the United States of a United Council for Civilian Relief in China is designed chiefly to give a needed unified direction to efforts on behalf of victims of Japanese aggression, and under the leadership of Theodore Roosevelt, Jr. it may be taken for granted that the cause will not suffer for lack of energetic drive from above. The Roosevelts have never been a tame family. When Theodore Roosevelt was at the White House his children were notoriously what is popularly known as "a handful." Their tendency to kick over the traces seems to have been inherited by the next generation. Major Kermit Roosevelt has a 13-year-old son named Dirck, who is at present a pupil at Groton, which is sometimes described as the American Eton. The other day, in company with a school-fellow, he skipped off to Springfield, where the two lads registered at an hotel under fictitious names. They arrived there at 9.30 one evening, but by midnight they found hotel life so boring that they resumed their travels without their departure being observed.

A hue and cry of the variety known as "an eight-State alarm" was sent out after them, and when they had been away from the school for 15 hours they were captured at Baltimore, the home town of young Roosevelt's companion.

It is reported that they made "no logical explanation" of their truancy, and that their chief anxiety, after they turned up, was lest the school authorities might refuse to take them back. Anyhow, Dirck Roosevelt has vindicated his title to be regarded as a chip of the old block.

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A Frugal Pope

The large gifts of money which the Pope has been making towards the relief of distress in troubled Spain indicate that the Papal Treasury is now much better off than when Pius XI succeeded Benedict in 1922. It was then found that only £11,000 remained out of the funds accumulated before the war, Pope Benedict having been extremely liberal in his grants to the poor. He had, indeed, subscribed over £440,000 to help the needy in Russia and Austria alone.

The new Pope ordered the utmost economy in all directions, setting up a committee of four cardinals to carry the scheme

into effect. Of simple habits himself, Pius XI instituted the practice of paying for each meal as he took it, thus facilitating the keeping of his household accounts. On one occasion however, the cook made the blunder of charging the Pope twice for a single chicken, which his Holiness had partly consumed at a previous meal. It was duly noted.

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Fashions For Faces

The death in Berlin of the royal barber who "won fame" by inventing the upturned moustache for Kaiser Wilhelm II suggests the thought that a good many fashions of "face fur" have some special connection or association, as in the case of the other and very different moustache which used to be associated with toothbrushes and "temporary gentlemen" but which seems destined now to be known as the "Hitler moustache." In Britain, the best known case is that of the long whiskers worn by Sothorn as Lord Dundreary and remembered even now as "Dundreary whiskers." In France perhaps the best remembered is the "Imperial," which was the fashion set or followed by Napoleon the Little. Rather similar but less splendidly named was the "goatee," associated in memory with "Uncle Sam" and still used in conventional cartoons.

A curious name was that of the "Newgate fringe," which may have been derived from lack of shaving facilities in the prison. President Kruger gave his name, at least for a time, to his special form of "face fur." There was the generic "beaver" with which hair on the face was derisively saluted some years ago. Then there was, and occasionally still is, the "walrus" moustache. And a certain form of whisker neither long nor short is specially associated with Spain.

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The Village Craftsman

According to the latest report of the Development Commissioners in Britain, village workshops throughout the country are experiencing a gratifying increase of trade. It is good to know that mass production has not succeeded in ousting the craftsman; for although his wares are, for the most part, no longer essential to the existence of the community, and although it may be that "repairs" are now the mainstay of his job, yet his craftsmanship sets a standard, and conforms to an ideal, that make it, at the least, a healthy influence upon the machine age. The tradition preserved by the master craftsmen, from Tubal Cain to the ancient Guilds, from Wayland the Smith to the village blacksmith of to-day—a tradition that calls for beauty as well as efficiency, and would see all work fashioned for, and with, delight—is one that we could ill afford to lose.

The machine cannot hope, of course, to reproduce the beauty that springs from the free exercise of an individual talent and technique; but, undoubtedly, the aesthetic qualities of craftwork, and the growing appreciation of them, have done much to foster a demand for greater artistic merit in machine-made products. As a result industry is concerning itself more and more with design, and the harmonizing of style, material, and function.

GRUESOME JAP. REPRISALS

"Horrible" Day Experienced At Nantung

SLOW PROGRESS OF FITNESS CAMPAIGN

A.R.P. Suggested As Reason

CONCERN AT PUBLIC APATHY

The British Government is seriously concerned with the progress of the National Fitness Campaign, inaugurated 15 months ago. Drastic measures to accelerate and revitalise the programme are being urged from influential quarters as essential if the scheme is to fulfil its original ideal.

No secret is made of the fact that the results so far have been far below expectations. There is a growing feeling in official quarters that the idea of physical fitness is not "catching on" as was hoped. In many areas the attitude is still apathetic, even hostile.

Part of the failure, it is suggested, is due to the growing pressure of air raid precautions duties. These have increasingly occupied the attention of local government authorities and the public and, temporarily at any rate, stolen much of the voluntary effort required to make the national fitness drive a success.

In a number of districts, including London, air raid schemes have had the effect of slowing down the national fitness campaign almost to a standstill so far as the public is concerned.

ORGANISATION DIFFICULTIES

Air raid schemes, however, do not account for the shortcoming in other directions which are now causing some disquiet. The volun-

GUNS RATTLING DROWN VICTIMS' CRIES

Gruesome accounts of reprisals taken against farmers by Japanese troops in Nantungchow following an attack upon that city by Chinese guerillas have reached Shanghai with recent foreign arrivals, says the "China Press."

According to these sources, a strong force of Chinese guerillas attacked the famous pig-port north of the Yangtse River, ousting Japanese troops from the suburbs by the intensity of their sudden descent.

tary committees and sub-committees set up under the bill to administer local schemes have found the task of organisation, without the established machinery of local government, far more difficult than they expected.

Many local authorities have been frankly resentful of the scheme since its inception. Their passive resistance has proved a big obstacle.

Of the £2,000,000 allotted for grants over 1938 and 1939 expenditure of about £150,000 had been recommended by the end of March. Inevitably there is long delay in setting schemes in action, due partly to lack of experience on the voluntary committees in the complicated questions of public expenditure.

There has been great difficulty in acquiring land for playing fields and the like at reasonable prices. Every purchase near big cities has had to be made secretly; even so, it has not always been possible to prevent land speculators from securing bargains.

Their position, however, was only temporarily secure, and a reinforced Japanese force, equipped with superior armaments, recaptured the suburbs during a severe skirmish.

MAY 3 "HORRIBLE"

Tuesday, May 3, reports continue, was "horrible." Shooting began immediately outside the heart of Nantungchow. Wounded Chinese civilians streaked for the only place in the city where they could be assured of even a slight measure of safety—the compound of the United Christian Mission.

By May 5 the partisans had been driven out of the city and outskirts, and Japanese began retaliatory measures against farmers to the north of the city who were suspected of sheltering and feeding the guerillas. Their little huts were burned to the ground.

Machine-guns were set up, their ominous rattling drowning out the plaintive cries of the peasants as they attempt-

ed, most of them in vain, to escape the withering fire.

COMPOUND OVERCROWDED

As the compound of the United Christian Missionary Society was already overcrowded with some 300 women and children immediately after the Japanese occupation of this city, it was impossible to accommodate any but the most severely wounded. Others were treated and sent home.

Prior to the attack upon the city by Chinese guerilla units, male relatives of the women and children in the mission building sent rice and other foodstuffs daily to the camp. Following the attack and ousting of the guerillas and the subsequent reprisals against the farmers, most of these men were killed, and the women and children were faced with starvation.

OUTSIDE HELP ARRIVES

Abject starvation, however, was offset for a day or two by the women themselves, who collected enough among themselves barely to sustain them. Then came outside help. Rice by the bushel was donated by private citizens and stores. Recently, local groups have been able to send medical supplies to take care of the wounded and ailing.

Wounded patients are being taken care of well within the mission compound. All are willing to help, the women, children and other refugees taking time out from their own affairs—which is mostly looking for a suitable location to spread a quilt—and are feeding and nursing the patients beside running for water and attending to their other requirements.

According to later reports, conditions in this town are more settled, but inmates of the camp are still reluctant to wander outside the comparative safety of the mission compound.

Americans Should Oppose Japanese Juggernaut

Concrete action by the United States to protect its investment and trade in China must in the final analysis originate from American businessmen in this country who are suffering staggering losses in the face of the onslaught of the Japanese military juggernaut, Mr. J. B. Powell, Editor and Publisher of the China Weekly Review, stated in a speech during the U.S. Foreign Trade dinner held at the American Club in Shanghai.

Mr. Powell and Dr. Y. Y. Tsu of St. John's University were the chief speakers of the occasion. Mr. Powell made a survey of the losses suffered by American businessmen in China.

ACTION NEEDED

He called upon the American businessmen in Shanghai and other parts of China to assert themselves in order to protect their interests by making their voices heard in Washington.

Foreign investments in China, estimated to amount to about U.S. \$3,500,000,000 have been reduced at least by one-fourth or U.S. \$800,000,000 since the beginning of the hostilities, he revealed.

American losses, he stated, have been estimated at \$150,-

000,000 and British losses at double that amount.

JAPAN'S AIM

It is not necessary to explain, the veteran editor said, that Japan's goal is to root foreign business out of the fertile Chinese soil and to replace it with the enterprises of Nippon.

"One wonders why we sit here so complacently while the Japanese military juggernaut moves over the land destroying our interests and businesses piecemeal.

"If it is true that American losses alone now total \$150,000,000, it would seem to merit some action on our part here. It is very obvious that we could have a very definite influence upon the course of events if we asserted ourselves here and inform our law-makers at home what is going on."

URGES MESSAGES

In order to make the voice of American businessmen in China heard in Washington, local U.S. organisations must express their viewpoints by resolutions, cables and letters, he continued.

"We cannot expect our representative in Congress or administrative officials or even our chief executive to adopt intelligent policies for our welfare unless we take the initiative and tell them what we want," he declared.

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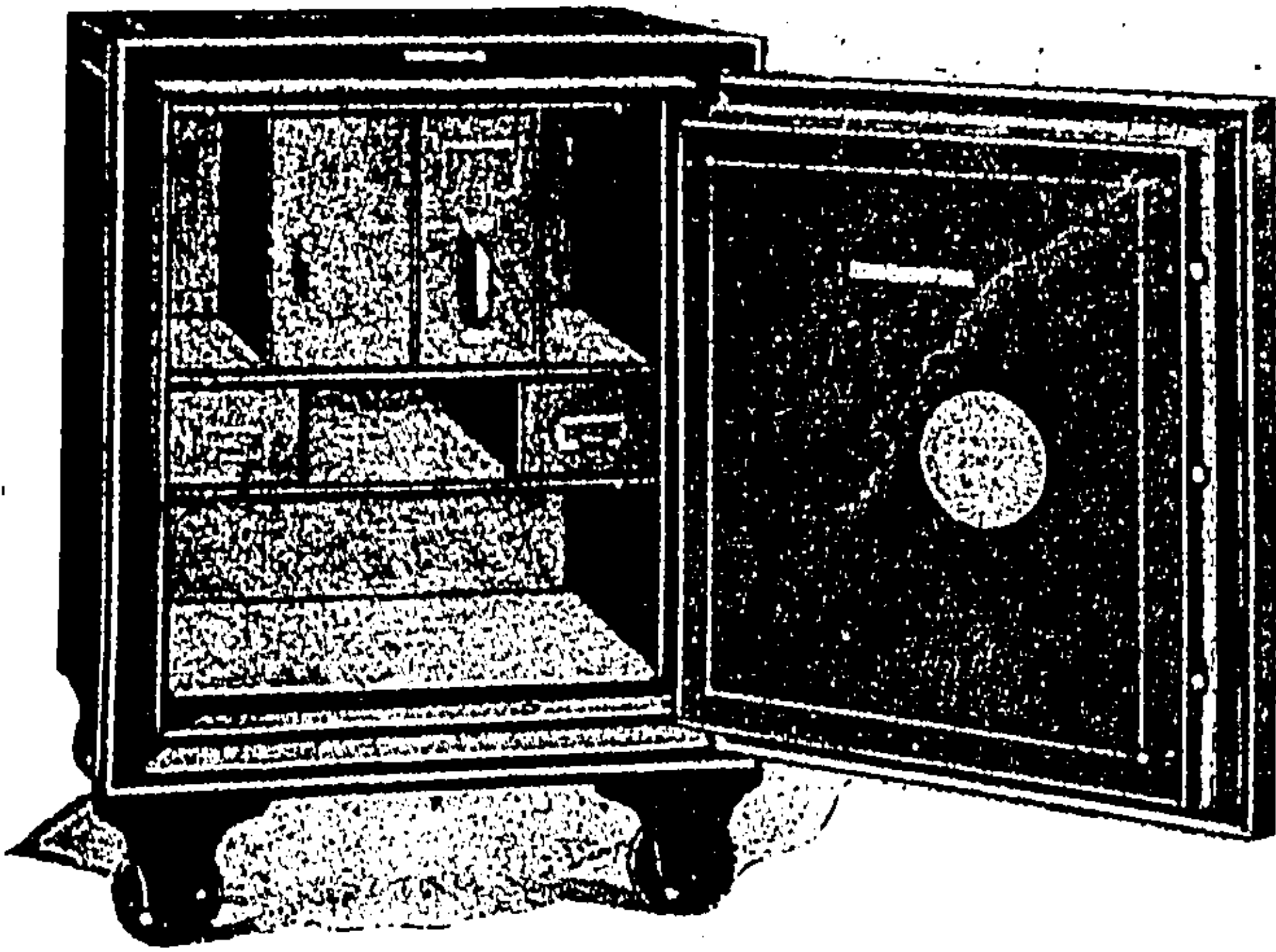
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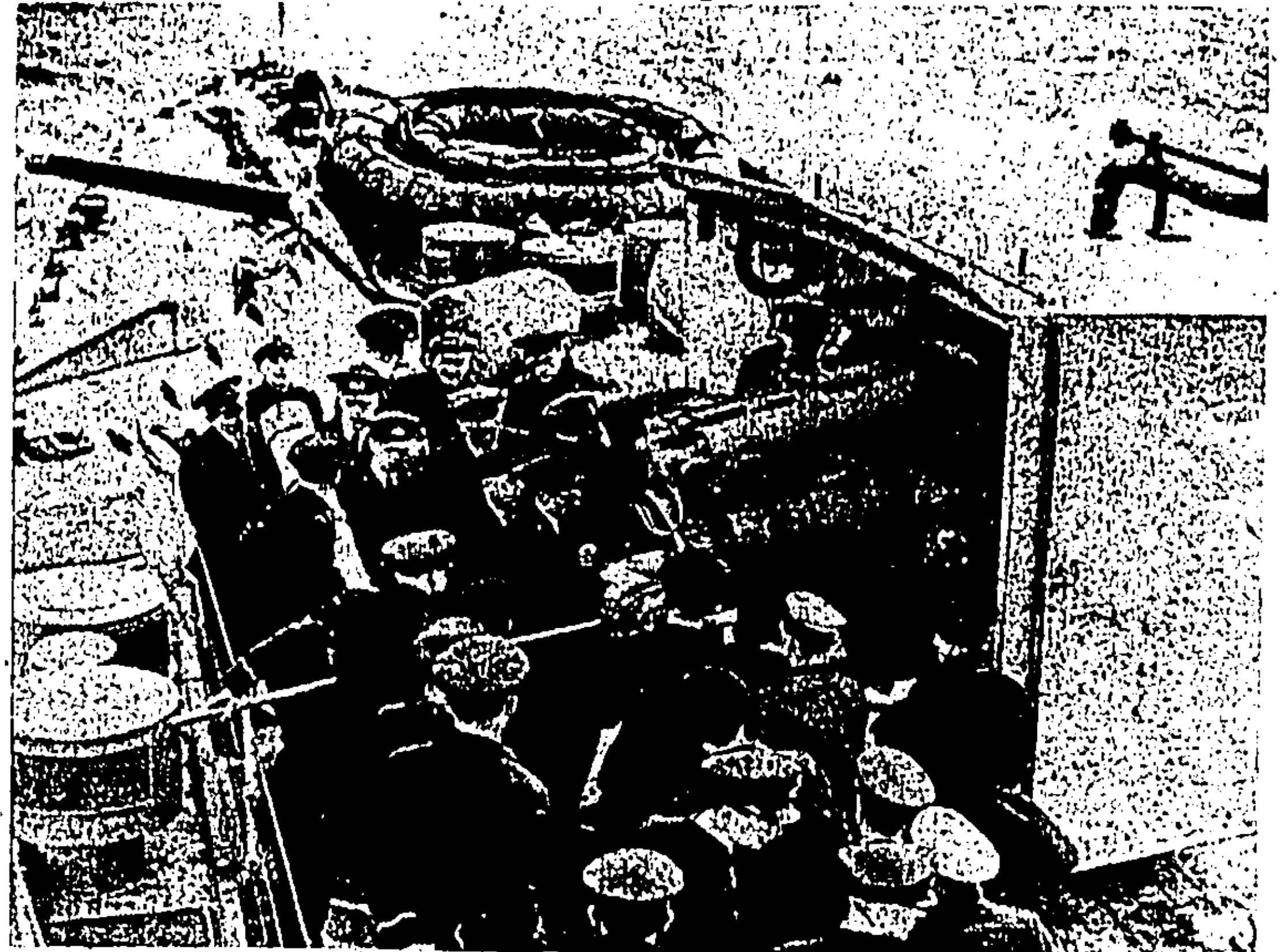
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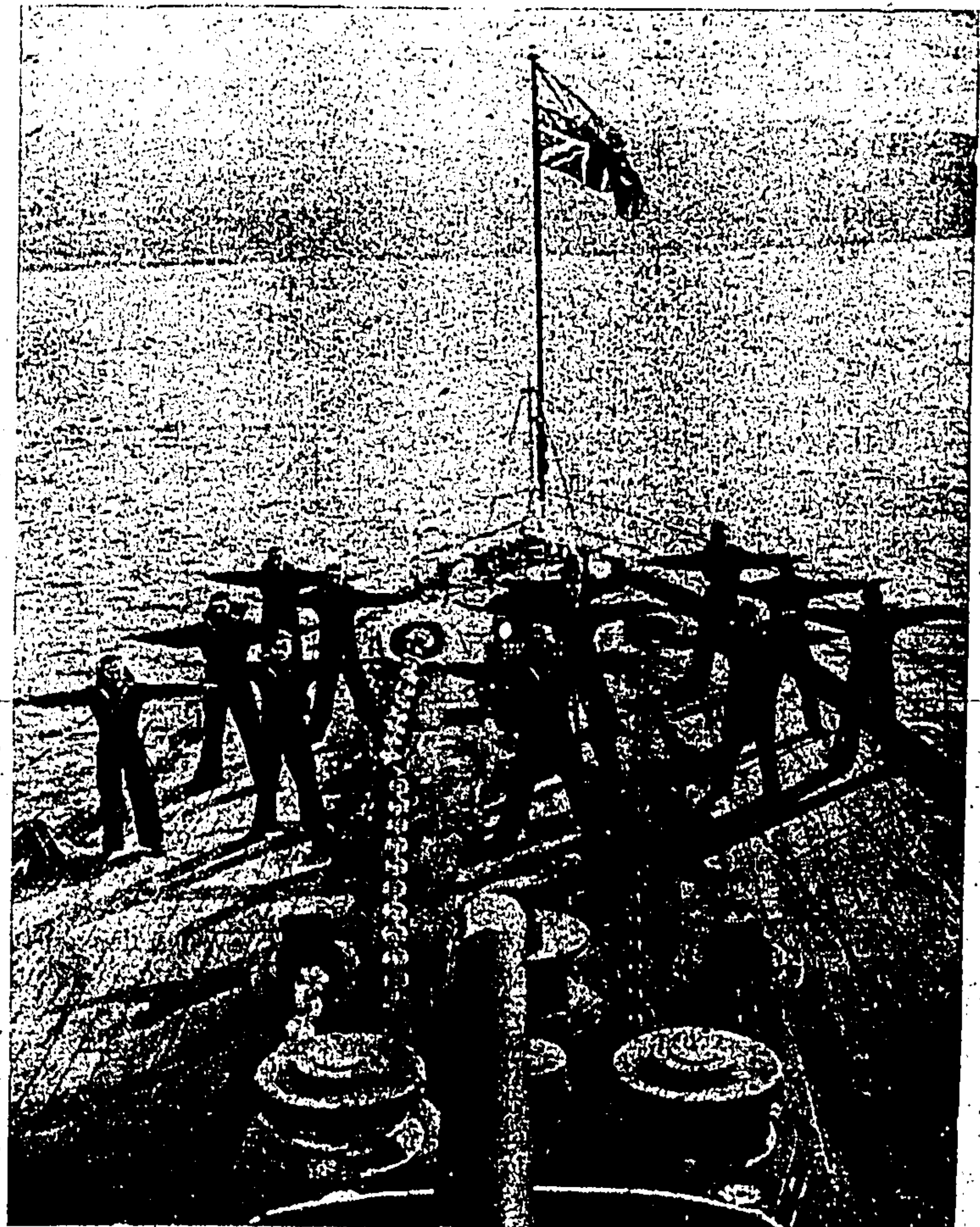
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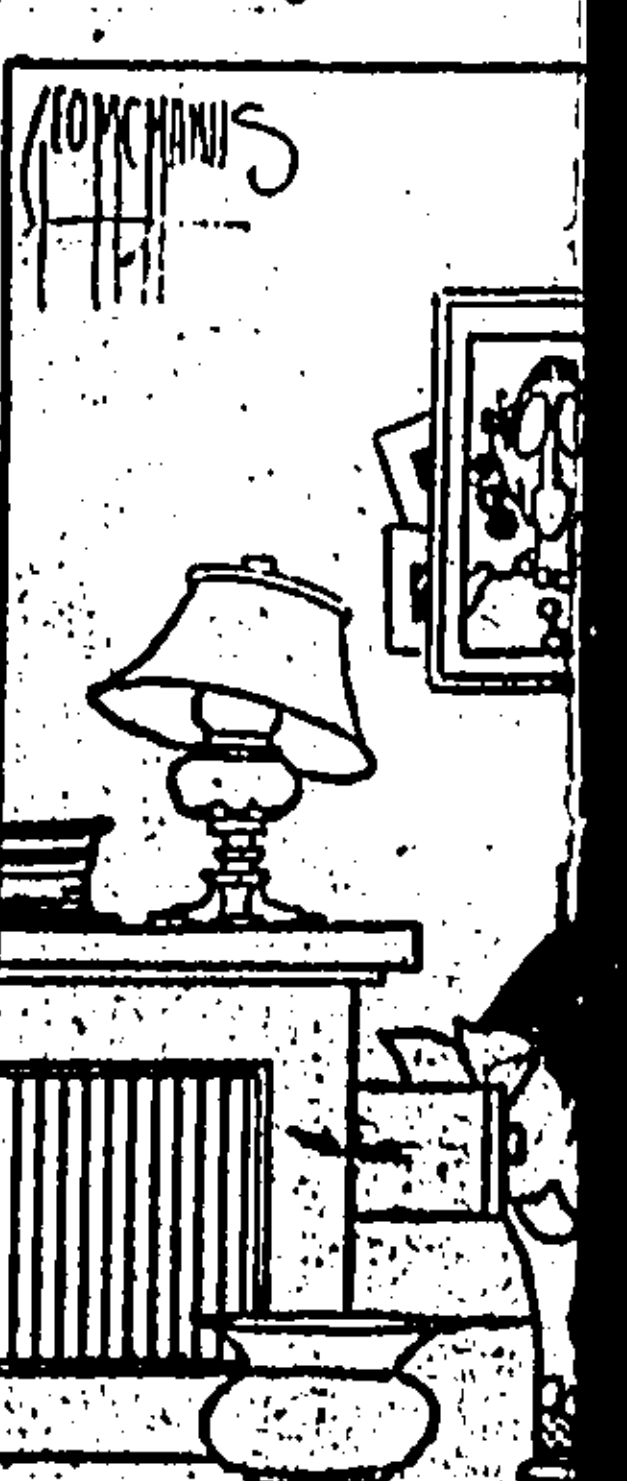
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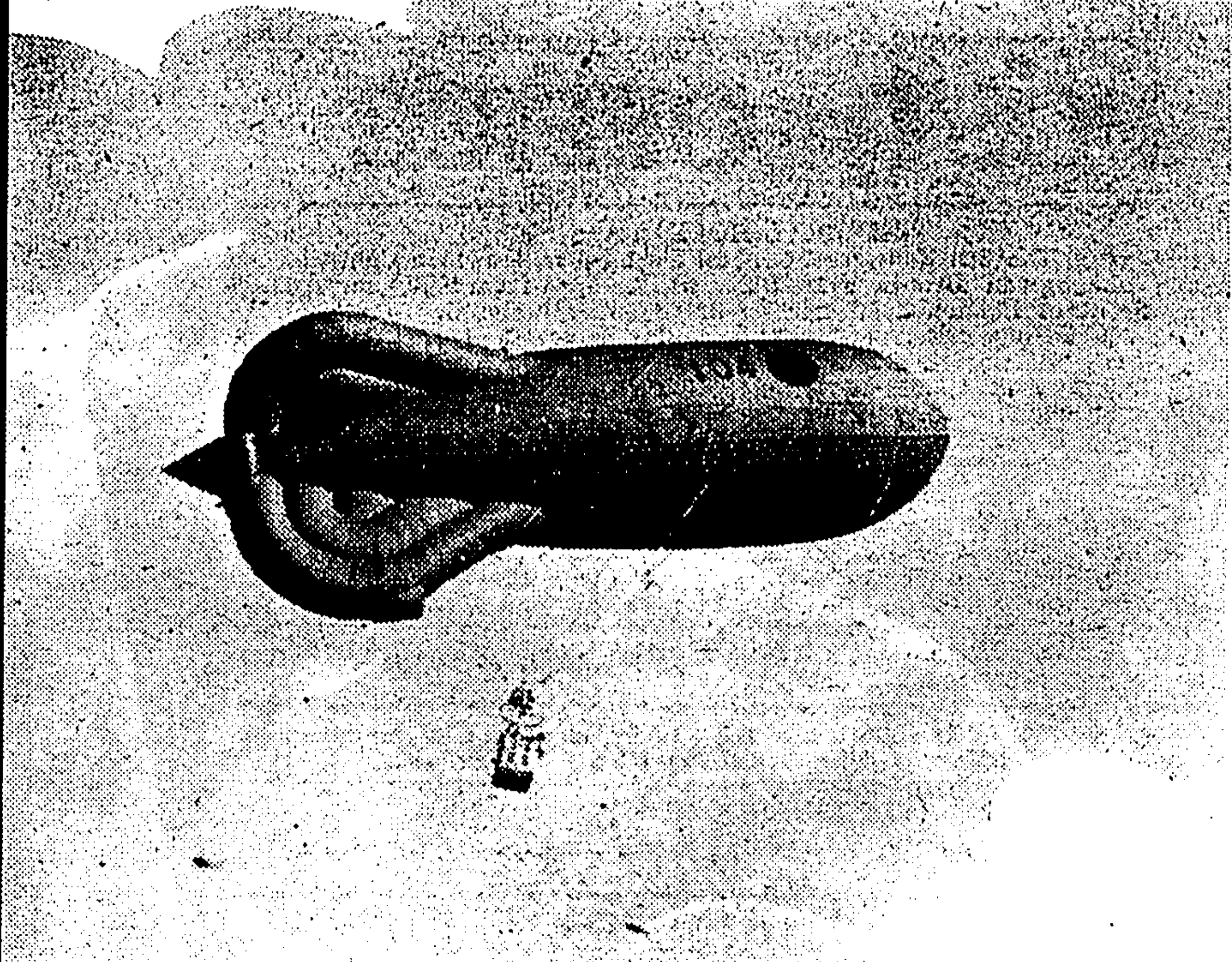


Physical training formed part of the routine for the R.N.V.R. during their Easter cruise. Here is a P. T. squad on the fo'castle. (Copyright).

Bringing Up Father

By Geor





Observation balloon on the Lunghai Railway front. The observer, who is connected to the guns on the ground, "spots" the fire of the artillery.

Members of the "Austrian Legion," an armed body of Austrian Nazis in Germany, return to their homeland after the anchluss.

Men of the London and Sussex Divisions of the R.N.V.R. spent Easter at sea. In the photo they cruised around the Channel calling at Torbay, Plymouth, and returning to Portsmouth. They carried out various training exercises. Photo shows gunnery instruction in H.M.S. Curlew during the Easter cruise. (Copyright).

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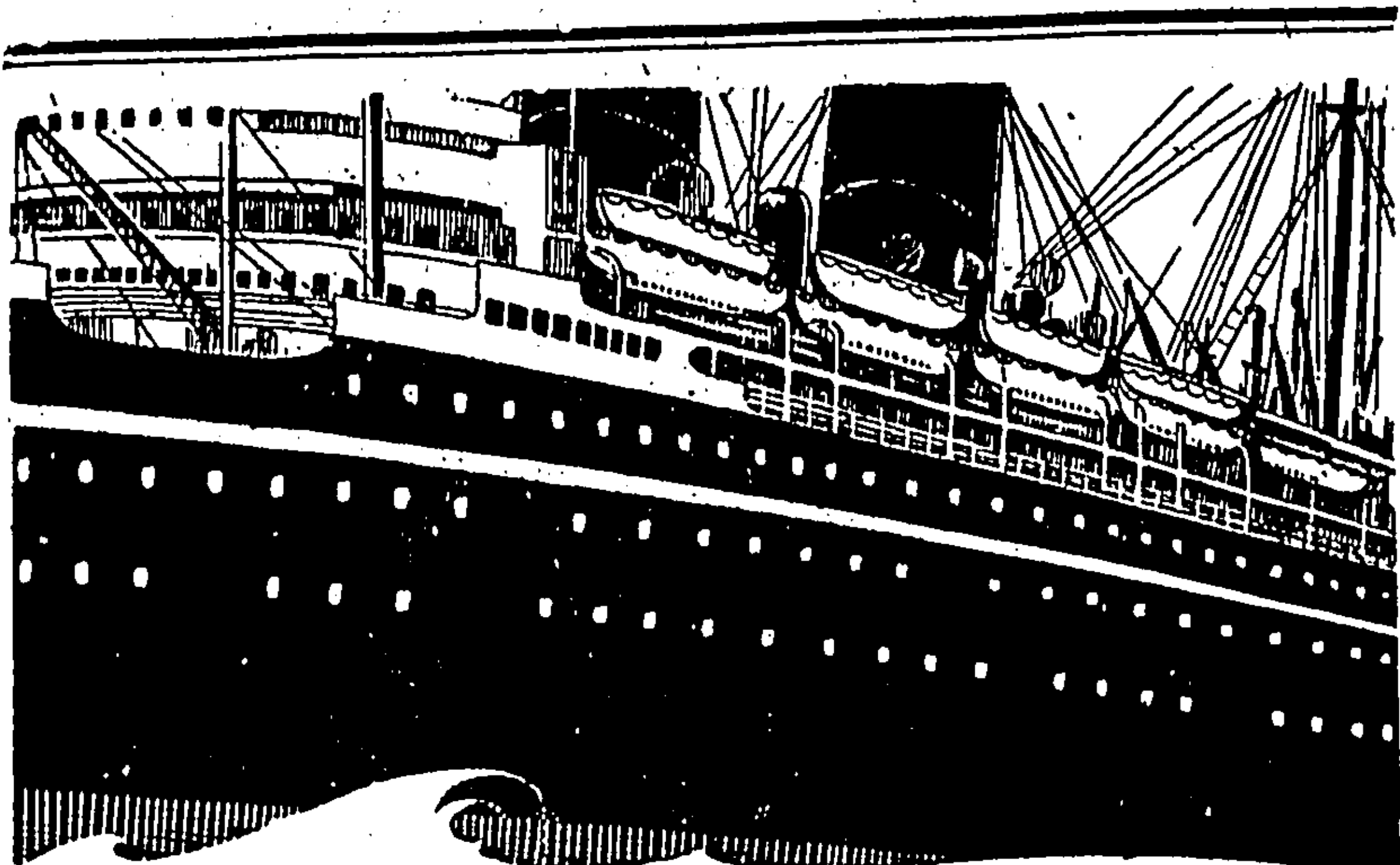
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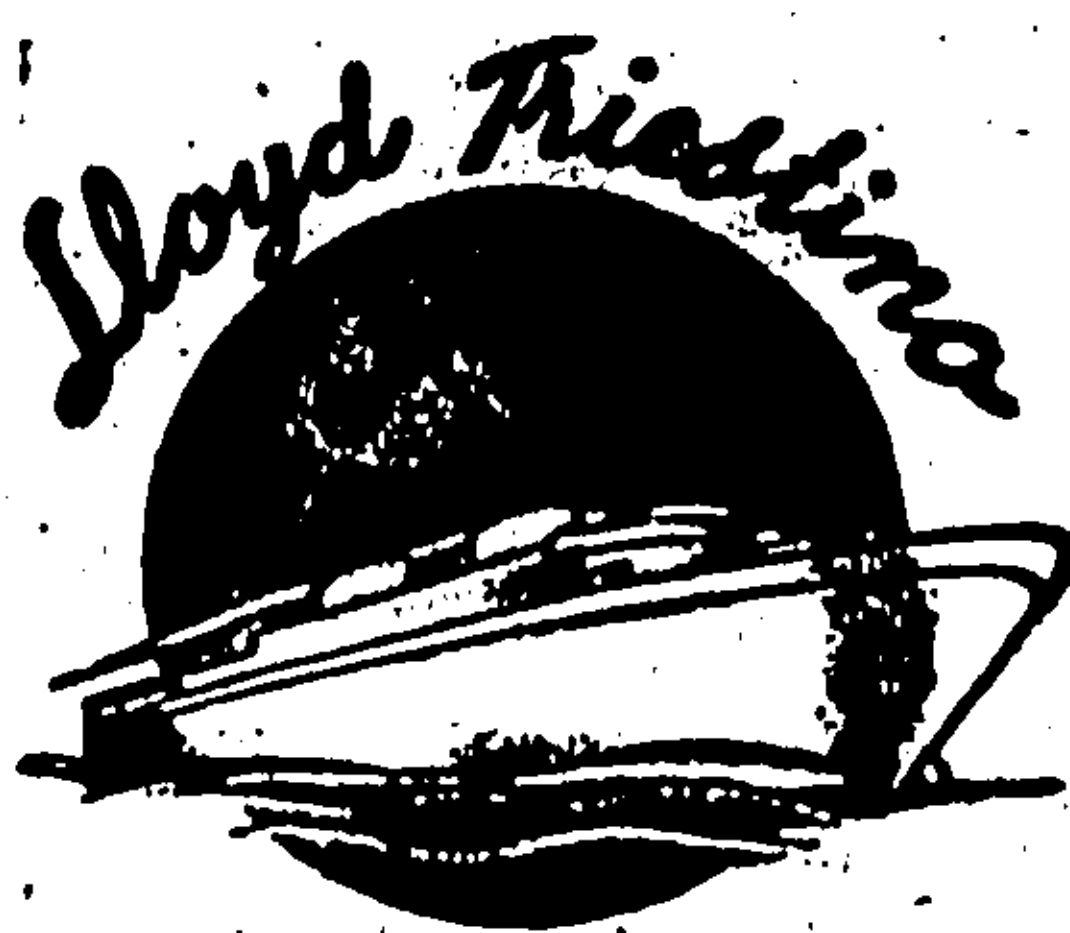
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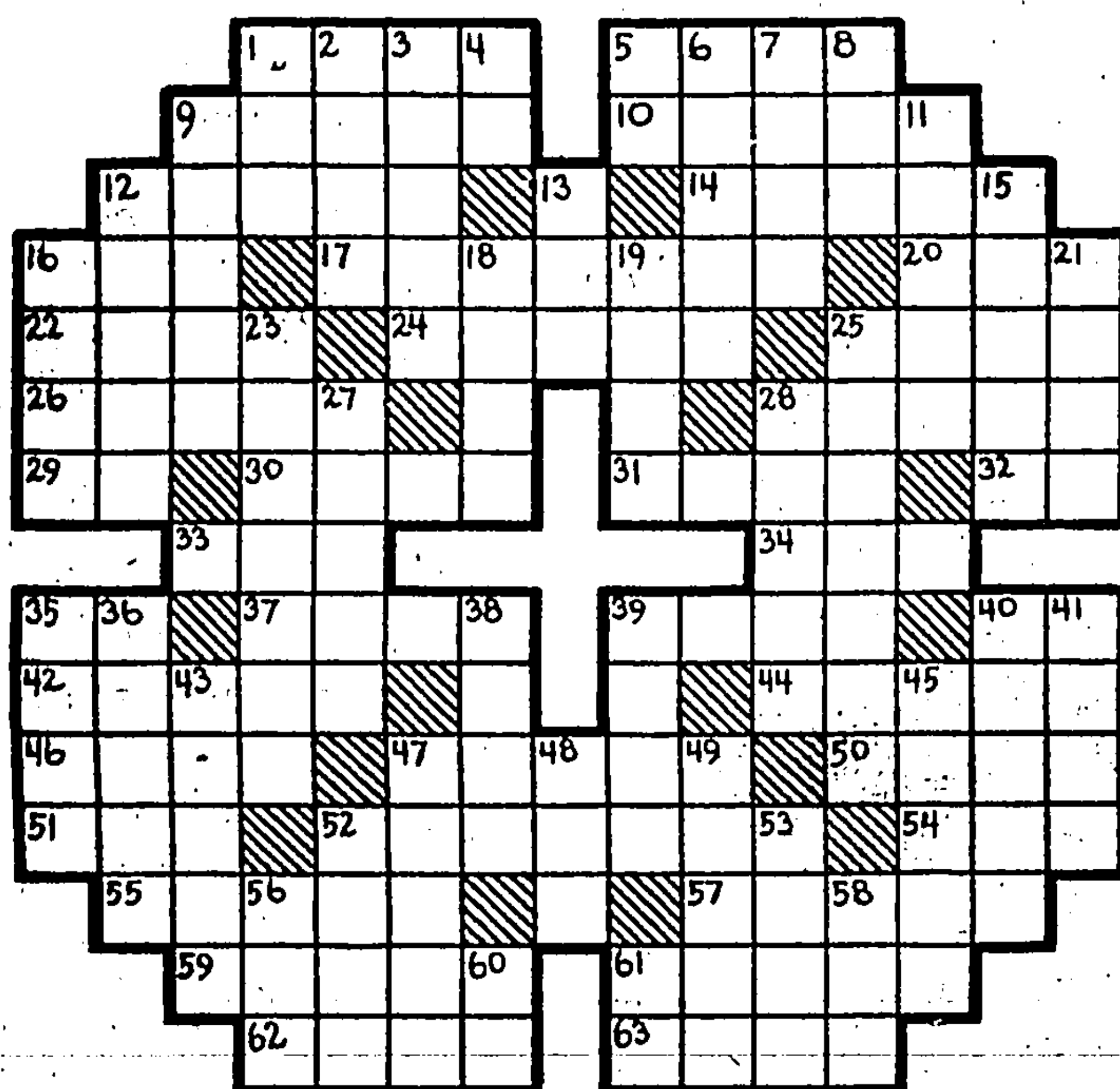
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- 10-To walk on
- 12-Ship of the desert
- 14-Auriculate
- 16-Portion
- 17-Encounter successfully
- 20-Enemy
- 22-Greek war-god
- 24-Track
- 25-Web-like membrane
- 26-Slip
- 28-Ventures
- 29-The (Sp.)
- 30-Invade suddenly
- 31-At any time
- 32-A highway (abbr.)
- 33-Pronoun
- 34-Equip
- 35-Exist
- 37-Skin
- 39-Combining form. Equal
- 40-Comparative suffix
- 42-Grades
- 44-Wait upon

HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

- 46-Class of birds
- 47-Harvests
- 50-Perceives
- 51-Affirmative reply
- 52-Makes smaller
- 54-An insect
- 55-Spot
- 57-Entries in an account
- 59-Aver
- 61-Unfastens
- 62-Language of Scottish Highlanders
- 63-Bastes

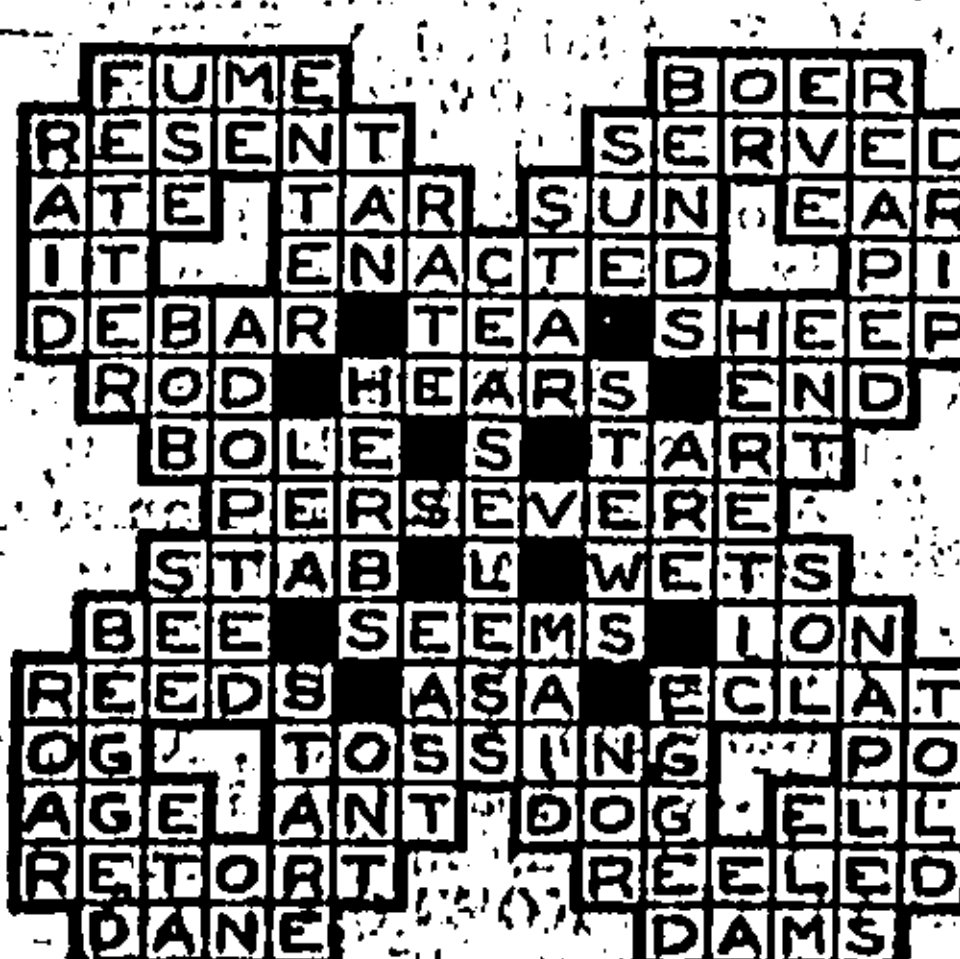
VERTICAL

- 1-Edge
- 2-Again
- 3-A little island
- 4-The (Fr.)
- 5-Near by
- 6-An angler's basket
- 7-Erect
- 8-Corn-spike
- 9-Satisfies
- 11-Put off
- 12-A sea-growth
- 13-Greek letter
- 15-Deals out

VERTICAL (Cont.)

- 16-Tardy
- 18-Dry
- 19-Employ
- 21-A compass point
- 23-Streaks
- 25-Lingers
- 27-Relieves
- 28-Darlings
- 35-Cry of an ass
- 36-Projecting edge of a roof
- 38-Sediment
- 39-Head of the Catholic church
- 40-Levels
- 41-Recline
- 43-Examines
- 45-Paper measure (pl.)
- 47-Leases
- 48-Beseech
- 49-A shore-bird
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- 53-Boil slowly
- 55-Consumed
- 58-Half ems
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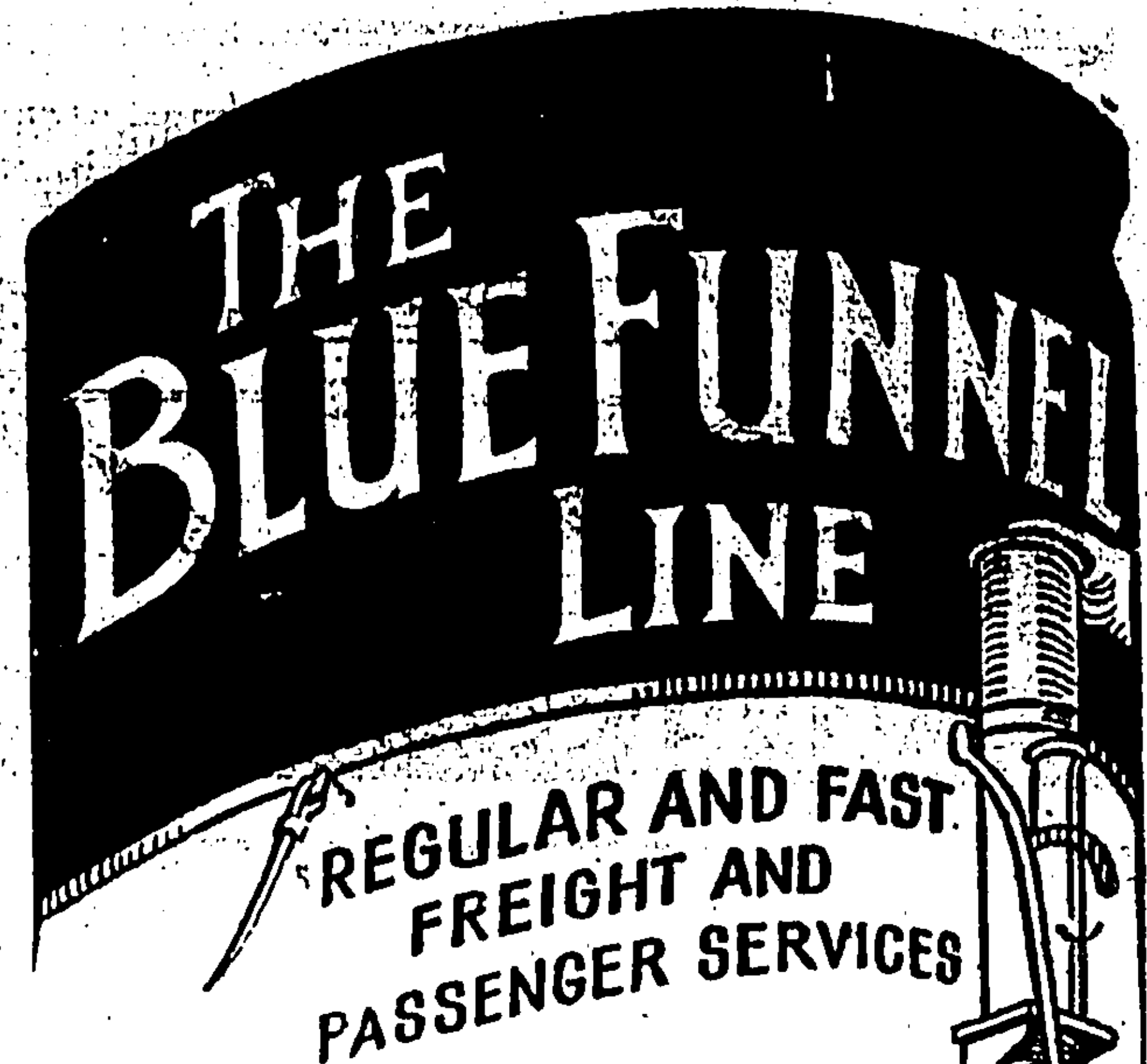
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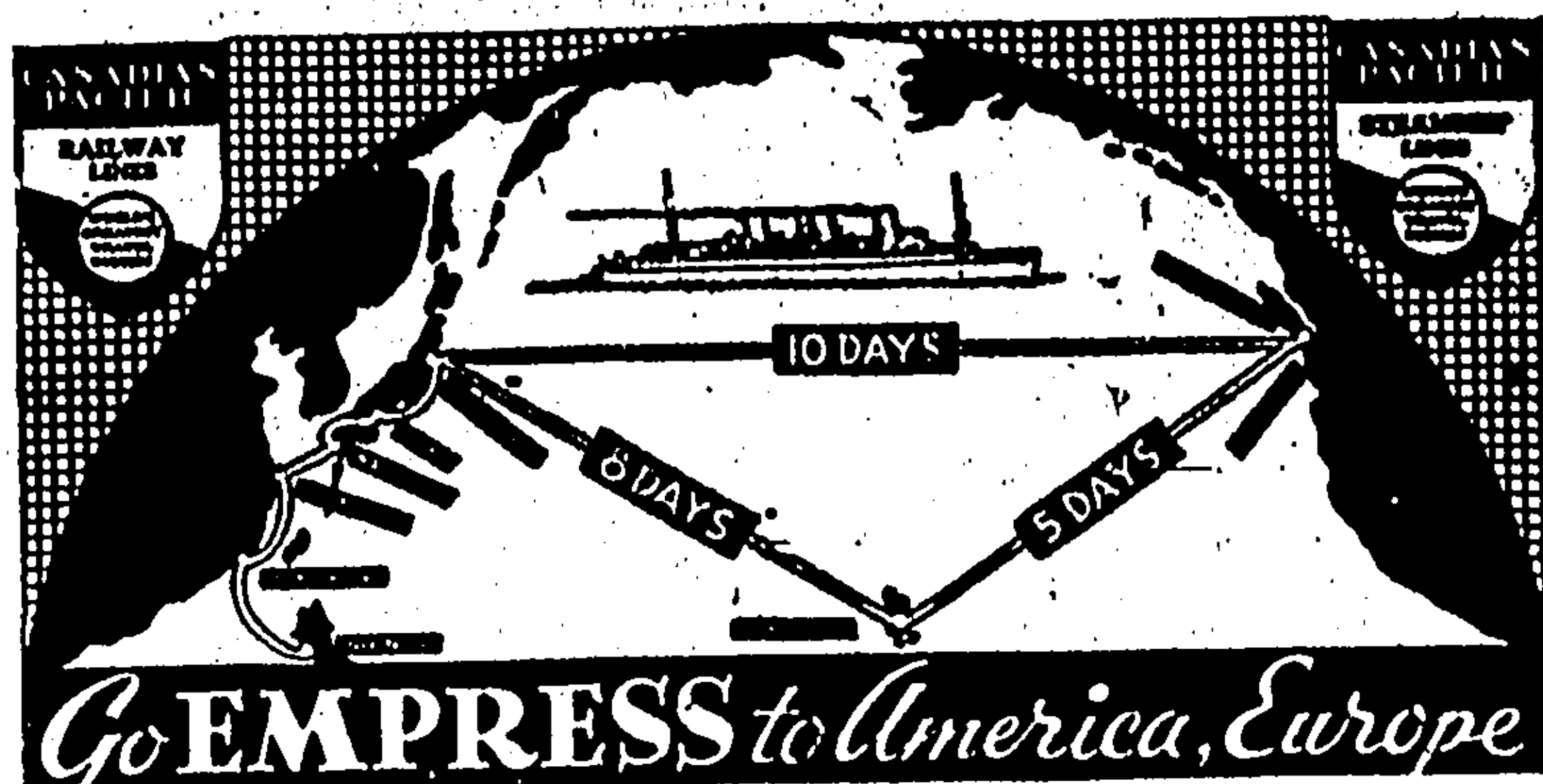
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OPEN PAIRS AND RINKS LAWN BOWLS EVENTS

Further Draws Made

Further progress well shortly be made in the Open Pairs and Rinks Lawn Bowls Championships as a result of yesterday's Sub-Committee Meeting of the H.K.L.B.A.
 The following were the two draws made:—

The following were the draws for the Open Pairs and Open Rinks Competitions:—

OPEN PAIRS

TUESDAY, JUNE 7.

AT KOWLOON FOOTBALL CLUB
 J. V. Ramsey and J. McKelvie v A. F. Paul and J. Sloan.
 C. J. Tacchi and R. A. Harding v H. F. Stoneham and C. B. Hosking.
 C. F. Vas and C. H. Basto v J. Smith and J. W. A. Brown.
 J. S. Howell and R. G. Craig v A. J. Coelho and J. Pau.

AT TAIKOO R.C.
 C. W. Lam and N. P. Karanjia v F. E. Booler and R. Ellis.
 J. F. McGowan and J. Deakin v M. J. Medina and J. Cavanagh.
 L. A. Collyer and J. M. Purvis v K. M. Oman and A. S. Gomes.
AT HONG KONG F.C.
 J. H. Xavier and S. Lillierap v W. R. Hillyer and J. Hollidge.
 P. D. Crawley and W. J. Burling v J. J. Ribeiro and J. J. Basto.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8

AT KOWLOON DOCKS
 A. Castro and V. Atienza v T. A. Madar and E. C. Fincher.
 C. M. Silva and F. X. Soares v L. F. Xavier and C. F. Remedios.
 J. Luz and B. Basto v J. T. Smalley and V. Chittenden.
 P. T. Barby and A. J. Hall v J. Watson and Guetterres.
AT CIVIL SERVICE C.C.
 A. M. Omar and U. M. Omar v W. Ward and W. B. Whiteman.
 W. K. Way and C. S. Rosselet v J. S. Landolt and B. W. Bradbury.
 W. J. Howard and E. Zimmern v W. Hollands and S. Farlow.
 McKellar and H. Nish v F. Channing and F. Dowman.



MONDAY, JUNE 13

AT POLICE R.C.
 G. Bostock and A. B. Allan v F. A. Machado and F. X. M. da Silva.
 A. Steven and J. A. R. Selby v O. P. Remedios and E. de Souza.
 L. Jack and A. A. Dand v W. Hodges and A. Brooksbank.
 F. V. V. Ribeiro and H. A. Alves v R. Fitches and R. Edwards.
AT CLUB DE RECREIO
 S. M. White and S. Randle v S. M. Rumjahn and S. O. Bux.
 G. N. Mitchell and J. C. Brown v T. F. Stainton and J. F. Watson.
 G. C. Norman and J. G. Meyer v S. Eccleshall and G. Sheriff.
 T. Ferguson and A. Calman v W. MacHardy and W. Cameron.

TUESDAY, JUNE 14

AT H.K. FOOTBALL CLUB
 F. H. Kelly and F. Nolan v J. S. Logan and G. E. F. Thompson.
 E. G. Post and A. E. Carey v R. P. Phillips and J. Fraser.
AT BOWLING GREEN CLUB
 C. Turney and W. V. Field v A. Bakar and A. K. Minu.
 J. C. Remedios and C. C. Pereira v A. E. Coates and R. Basa.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15

AT INDIAN RECREATION CLUB
 J. Hyde and H. Overy v W. Gill and G. Duncan.
AT CRAIGENGOWER C.C.
 J. Hoosen and A. R. Minu v J. Jack V. C. Labrum.
AT KOWLOON DOCKS
 W. Carr and W. Mulcahy v E. W. Lines and R. Duncan.
AT KOWLOON DOCKS
 J. Hoosen, S. M. Rumjahn, A. R. Minu and E. el Arculli v F. Cheesman, G. E. F. Thompson, T. Armstrong and A. J. Hall.
 L. F. Xavier, C. E. Marques, F. V. V. Ribeiro and H. A. Alves v C. Mose, Y. Abbas, V. N. Atienza and W. Muskett.
AT CRAIGENGOWER C.C.
 E. V. Serle, G. C. Norman, K. C. Hamilton and J. G. Meyer v J. Gellatly, J. Deakin, J. Purvis and L. Collyer.
AT CLUB DE RECREIO
 W. Mulcahy, T. Carr, W. Greig and J. Fraser v J. C. Brown, J. Watson, T. Coleman and R. Duncan.
AT INDIAN R.C.
 McDonald, Soutar, W. Campbell and R. Ellis v W. Ward, H. W. Randall, B. W. Whiteman and W. K. Way.

OPEN RINKS

The rinks championship second round will be decided on June 12. The skip first named will be responsible for arranging the time.

(AT THE CIVIL SERVICE C.C.)
 W. McLeod, W. Cameron, E. G. Post and A. E. Carey v J. Howell, G. S. Graves, A. Hodges and A. Brooksbank.
(AT THE HONG KONG F.C.)
 S. Eccleshall, W. Cullip, J. McGowan and G. Sheriff v A. S. Gomes, A. A. Razack, A. M. Omar and U. M. Omar.

(AT THE TAIKOO D.R.C.)
 R. Hall, C. Turney, V. Chittenden and W. V. Field v F. Channing, C. Dowman, F. Booker and W. Mair.

(AT THE KOWLOON C.C.)
 J. Soares, J. W. Leonard, L. C. R. Souza and C. S. Rosselet v J. A. Luz, A. P. Gutierrez, F. X. Soares and B. Basto.

(AT THE POLICE R.C.)
 C. C. Pereira, O. P. Remedios, J. C. Remedios and O. de Souza v A. E. Coates, J. S. Landolt, R. Basa and B. W. Bradbury.

(AT THE KOWLOON C.C.)
 A. N. Other, C. A. Lopes, J. E. Noronha and C. G. Silva v W. Lam, N. P. Karanjia, W. Howard and E. Zimmern.

(AT THE CIVIL SERVICE C.C.)
 W. Brown, R. Wright, J. Watson and T. F. Stainton v D. M. Khan, A. K. Minu, M. Y. Adai and A. R. Dallah.

(AT THE KOWLOON C.C.)
 A. Calman, M. Ferguson, H. G. Cooper and J. McKelvie v D. C. Alves, J. M. Alves, C. M. Alves and H. Botelho.

(AT THE KOWLOON B.C.C.)
 F. Machado, C. M. Silva, J. Ribeiro and F. X. Silva v A. W. Ramsey, R. Harding, T. A. Madar and E. C. Fincher.

(AT THE POLICE R.C.)
 A. H. Rumjahn, A. Bakar, A. M. Wahab and M. R. Abbas v R. P. Shaw, E. Strange, G. Duncan and W. Gill.

(AT THE KOWLOON F.C.)
 H. Stoneham, S. White, J. Henson and S. Randle v A. M. Xavier, L. A. Gutierrez, F. A. Xavier and M. Carvalho.

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THE CHINA MAIL, JUNE 4, 1938

H.K. VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS

Orders by Lieut. Colonel R. C. B. Anderson, M. C. Commandant, Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps.
Hong Kong.
Friday, 3rd June 1938.

HOLIDAYS

Corps Headquarters will be closed on Whit Monday, 6th June and Thursday 9th June. The Q. M. Stores however will be open on Monday 6th June from 10 a.m. to 12 noon for the issue of any clothing or equipment required for the Ceremonial Parade on Tuesday 7th.

KING'S BIRTHDAY PARADE

Tuesday 7th June. Final rehearsal at Happy Valley. (1) Captain Branson's Detachment. Jockey Club Stables 5.30 p.m. Dress-Review Order. (2) M. G. Escort. H. Q. 5.30 p.m. Dress-Overalls and R.T.C. cap.

Thursday 9th June. (1) Captain Branson's Detachment. Jockey Club Stables. 7.00 a.m. Dress-Review Order. (2) M. G. Escort. H. Q. 7.00 a.m. Dress-Review Order.

Dress for Officers attending the Review as spectators, will be Review Order, with medals.

LECTURE ON MESSAGE WRITING
Thursday 16th June. 5.30 p.m. H. Q. 2nd lecture. Those selected by O. C.'s Units will attend. Those who attended the lecture on Thursday 2nd June will not be required.

The lecture for Officers only, on writing orders will now be given on Thursday 23rd June.

PARADES

Engineer Company
There will be no parade on Monday 6th June.

Corps Signals
There will be no parade on Tuesday 7th June.

Machine Gun Troop
Tuesday 7th June. 5.45 p.m. Causeway Bay Stables, Riding School.

Armoured Car Section
Tuesday 7th June. 5.30 p.m. H. Q. Driving instruction.

Motor Machine Gun Platoon
Tuesday 7th and Thursday 9th June. Those detailed by circular parade as detailed in para. 2 (a) and (b) above.

No. 4 M. G. Company
Wednesday 8th June

(1) No. 1 Platoon, No. 1 Section. H. Q. 5.15 p.m. for Kennedy Road Range.

No. 2 Section H. Q. 5.30 p.m. 10a Miniature Range.

Nos. 3 and 4 Sections. H. Q. 5.30 p.m. Fire orders.

(2) No. 2 Platoon. H. Q. 5.30 p.m. Fire orders.

(3) No. 3 Platoon. H. Q. 5.30 p.m. Film—M. G. Mechanism.

Friday 10th June
(1) Nos. 1 and 2 Platoons. N.C.O.'s class.

(2) No. 3 Platoon, E.G.D. Portuguese Companies
There will be no parade on Monday 6th June.

Machine Gun Signals
There will be no parade on Monday 6th June.

Pay Section
Friday 10th June. 5.30 p.m. H. Q.

APPOINTMENTS & PROMOTIONS—ENGINEER COMPANY
No. 101 C.Q.M.S. T. Bolt to be C.S.M., L. L. Section—3.6.38.

No. 807 Sgt. J. G. Hooper to be C.Q.M.S., D. E. L. Section—3.6.38.

No. 1034 Sgt. H. L. Lockhart to be C.Q.M.S., L. L. Section—3.6.38.

No. 1708 A/Sgt. G. W. Bowden to be Sgt., L. L. Section—3.6.38.

No. 2301 L/Cpl. S. G. Poole to be Sgt., L. L. Section—3.6.38.

ATTACHMENT-OFFICERS
Lieut. J. G. B. Dewar is attached to the Engineer Company for duty from to-day's date.

TRANSFERS
No. 1421 Pte. W. A. Simpson from Reserve Section A to Pay Section—3.6.38.

No. 1407 Pte. J. N. Sweeney from No. 2 M. G. Company to Unit Reserve—3.6.38.

LEAVE
No. 792 Cpl. E. J. J. Spradbery, Armoured Car Section from 23.5.38 to 22.1.39.

STRENGTH-DECREASE
No. 2869 Pte. Chan Fai Hon, No. 4 M. G. Company—25.2.38.

No. 2519 Gnr. J. Fancey, 1st Battery, is dismissed from the Corps and fined \$25 for inefficiency.

STRENGTH-INCREASE
3083 Sapper Ma Sai Hung, Engineer Co., L. L. Section 30.5.38.

3084 Sapper Peter Chan, Engineer Co., L. L. Section 30.5.38.

S. F. HEDGECOE, Captain, Adjutant, H.K.V.D. Corps.

NOTICE
ANNUAL SWIMMING SPORTS
Saturday, July 9th, 9.30 p.m.

Programme of Events:
1. 300 yards Team Race, teams of 6 men, each man to swim 50 yards.
2. 50 yards Ladies Invitation Handicap Race—Open—No entrance fee.

3. Volunteer Handicap Race—Men—50 yards—Entrance fee 50 cents per man.

4. High diving—teams of 3 men—3 swallow dives—standing.

5. Blindfold Race—No entrance fee.

6. 200 yards Team Race—3 styles. Teams of 4 men—each man 50 yards. 1st man—Back stroke. 2nd man—Free style. 3rd man—Breast stroke. 4th man—Free style.

7. H.K.V.D.C. Nursing Detachment Championship—50 yards—No entrance fee.

8. First Aid Race—No entrance fee.

9. Inter-unit Water Polo.

Units:
Coast Defence (Batteries and Engineer Company).

Beach Defence (1, 2 and 3 Companies).

Mobile Machine Guns (M.G. Troop, Mobile Column, M.G. Signals and A.S.C. Company).

Portuguese Companies.

Chinese Company (No. 4 Company).

Entries:
All entries are to be made in writing, accompanied by the necessary fees, to the Hon. Secretary 2/Lt. W. H. Owen, at H.K.V.D.C. Headquarters, not later than 5.30 p.m. on Monday June 20th, 1938.

Committee Meeting:
The next meeting of the Swimming Sports Committee will be held at Volunteer H.Q. on Monday June 20th at 5.30 p.m.

AFFILIATED UNIT NURSING DETACHMENT, H.K.V.D.C.

There will be no lecture on Monday 6th June, 1938.

The next lecture on Home Nursing will be given on Monday 13th June.

Sgd. Mrs. E. M. BEGG,
Commandant,
Nursing Detachment, H.K.V.D.C.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LESSON SERMON

Subject: God The Only Cause And Creator

The subject of the Lesson Sermon in all Christian Science Churches to-morrow June 5th will be "God the Only Cause and Creator."

The Golden Text will be "Thou art worthy, O Lord, to receive glory and honour and power: for thou hast created all things, and for thy pleasure they are and were created." (Rev. 4: 11).

Among others the following citations will be read from the Bible: "Bless the Lord, O my soul. O Lord my God, thou art very great; thou art clothed with honour and majesty who coverest thyself with light as with a garment: who stretchest out the heavens like a curtain: who layeth the beams of his chambers in the waters: who maketh the clouds his chariot: who walketh upon the wings of the wind: who laid the foundation of the earth, that it should not be removed forever. O Lord, how manifold are thy works! in wisdom hast thou made them all: the earth is full of thy riches. I will sing unto the Lord as long as I live: I will sing praise to my God while I have any being." (Ps. 104: 1-3, 5, 24, 31).

The following citations will also be read from the Christian Science Text-book "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy.

"The Scriptures imply that God is all-in-all. He is divine Principle, Love, the universal cause, the only creator, and there is no other self-existence. He is all-inclusive, and is reflected by all that is real and eternal and by nothing else. He fills all space and it is impossible to conceive of such omnipresence and individuality except as infinite Spirit or Mind. To grasp the reality and order of being in its science, you must begin by reckoning God as the divine Principle of all that really is. Spirit, Life, Truth, Love combine as one, and are the Scriptural names for God. All substance, intelligence, wisdom, being, immortality, cause and effect belong to God. These are His attributes, the eternal manifestations of the infinite divine Principle, Love. No wisdom is wise but His wisdom: no truth is true, no love is lovely, no life is Life but the divine; no good is, but the good God bestows. Divine metaphysics, as revealed to spiritual understanding, shows clearly that all is Mind; and that Mind is God, omnipotence, omnipresence, omniscience—that is, all power, all presence, all Science. Hence all is in reality the manifestation of Mind." (Pages 381, 275).

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AN ENTERTAINING PROGRAMME

(By "SKIP")

Top of the bill in to-day's League bowls programme is the game between Kowloon Dock and Craigengower, at Hung Hom. The latter won the corresponding match last year by a bare shot, only for their victims to achieve a similar result in the return match, at the Valley.

The visitors may have lost some of their confidence as the result of the closeness of their game with the Civil Service last Saturday, but I doubt it.

Kowloon Cricket Club will have the assistance of Joe Fraser for their match against the civil Servants at the Valley. After their meritorious win last week, K.C.C. should continue in a winning vein.

Fraser, by the way is playing as No. 2 to Ernie Kern. There also are some changes among the home rinks. Simmonds for one, having been promoted No. 3 to Sam Randle. This should strengthen the rink as Jack Deakin who occupied the berth previously has struck a bad patch.

K.B.G.C. FAVOURED

The Indians are never at their best away from Sookunpoo and I would not give much for their chances against Club de Recreio, at King's Park. Both teams remain unchanged from last week, Marques remaining as sheet anchor in Dick Alves' rink.

The Police will entertain Kowloon Bowling Green Club and have switched all their third men round to find a winning combination. The visitors badly need the points, have a new rink out, Meyer becoming skip, with Hall, the Shanghailander, as his third man. The other rinks remain unchanged with the exception that Cheesman displace Phillips in Line's rink. A close result may be anticipated and I favour the visitors to win.

SECOND DIVISION

In the Second Division, the best game of the afternoon should be that between Club de Recreio and Hong

"SKIP'S" FORECAST FOR TO-DAY

FIRST DIVISION			
K. D. R. C.	(64)	v	<u>C. C. C.</u> (65)
C. S. C. C.	(57)	v	<u>K. C. C.</u> (64)
<u>C. de R.</u>	(—)	v	†I. R. C. (—)
P. R. C.	(72)	v	<u>K. B. G. C.</u> (54)
SECOND DIVISION			
<u>C. S. C. C.</u>	(—)	v	T. R. C. (—)
H. K. F. C. "B"	(59)	v	<u>C. C. C.</u> (58)
<u>C. de R.</u>	(—)	v	*H. K. F. C. "A" (—)
<u>K. B. G. C.</u>	(62)	v	P. R. C. (42)
THIRD DIVISION			
<u>K. F. C.</u>	(46)	v	H. K. F. C. (69)
R. H. K. Y. C.	(—)	v	* <u>K. C. C.</u> (—)
<u>K. T. R. C.</u>	(62)	v	C. de R. (67)
C. C. C.	(61)	v	H. K. E. R. C. (58)

† Indicates a promoted team.
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Kong Football Club "A", at King's Chatham Road in the Third Division Park. Ground advantage should turn the scales in favour of the Portuguese, who should be a dozen or so to the good at the final check.

Hong Kong Football Club's "B" team do not appear to have a chance of improving their League position as they receive Craigengower, present leaders of this section.

The two football clubs meet at be much in it.

Rapier's Selections For To-day

RACE NO. 1

DESERT CHIEF
BEAR CLAW
KING'S WARDEN

Outsider:—Cameronian

RACE NO. 2

DOUBLE FINESSE
COURTING EVE
LANCASHIRE CHIPS

Outsider:—Blandford



RACE NO. 3

SMILING THRU
DEKKO
SALVAGE MASTER

Outsider:—Final Triumph

RACE NO. 4

LANCASHIRE LASS
SCENIC VIEW
JUST IN TIME

Outsider:—Rose-Queen

RACE NO. 5

FEI YING
CUBAN LOVE
SEA DRAGON

Outsider:—National Dignity

RACE NO. 6

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LUCKY LAD
A LOVELY TIME

Outsider:—Cape York

RACE NO. 7

VALOROUS
ELECTION TIME
ESTOVER

Outsider:—Ebony Idol

RACE NO. 8

HUMDRUM EVE
POTENTATE
NEW STAR

Outsider:—Soldier of Britain

RACE NO. 9

TAMPA BAY
LAUGHING BUDDHA
NATIONAL DEFENCE

Outsider:—Night View
DAILY DOUBLE:—FEI YING
AND VALOROUS.

"REVIEWER'S" SPORTS COMMENTARY

Safe With Hammond

It cannot be said yet, because it has still to be proved, that Hammond would be as good a captain as the best we have had in our time—D. R. Jardine.

But he could safely be trusted to skipper the England side. He would not disdain to ask—and sift—the advice of others. How far wrong could we go by making our greatest all-round cricketer captain of our side for the whole series?

The riot of runs in this drought season is worrying some people. It isn't worrying me. Batsmen are having their harvest festival on pitches on which groundmen have spent a lot of time and attention.

But now, when play is proceeding every day on some grounds—such as Lord's—the groundmen won't have so much time at their disposal for attention to the pitches. So the proper balance as between bat and ball will come nearer to being restored.—I hope.

Sonja Henie Breaks All Records

SONJA HÉNIE, recently turned professional, is gathering in the harvest. In 30 appearances on her current American tour, the Norwegian champion skater has drawn \$140,000 at the box-offices, of which her own share is the not inconsiderable sum of \$40,000. Her income averages at about \$12,000 a week, making her the highest paid sports performer of all time. Added to that, she ranks eighth in Hollywood box-office appeal listings, so even if she retired now she would have a large fortune.

Champions Earnings Near \$1,000,000

JOE LOUIS has earned nearly a million dollars since the beginning of his fight career in 1934. His total earnings, after receiving his share of the receipts in the recent Harry Thomas fight here are \$958,721. Until a few years ago, the heavy-weight champion was making a meagre living picking cotton and working in a motor-car factory.

Al Brown's Knock-out Finale

AL BROWN, the I.B.U. world bantam-weight champion, fought his last fight of a remarkable career when he knocked out Valentin Angelmann, the I.B.U. world fly-weight champion, in the eighth round at the Paris Palais des Sports. Brown intends to retire for good. He first won the world title in 1929 and, after retiring, came back to regain it a month ago at the age of 35.

Of all the players of ball games the least skilful and accurate in his work is the Association footballer. This conviction has been forced on me after many years of observation. It is impossible to range one's self entirely on the side of those who say that the game attracts too many men who have not sufficiently alert mental equipment. But that players of high intelligence are necessary in the modern game is made evident week after week. And second to intelligence I would put coaching.—J. H. Freeman.

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Half A Mile

1.00.3—Meteor (Pote-Hunt, 161); 2, Final Triumph (Needa, 155); 3, Lucky Eleven (Shu, 158). 2 and 2.

1.00.3—National Force (Pih, 161); 2, Astrik (Tao, 161); Ali Baba (Proulx, 152) and National Dignity (Wouh, 149). Short head and short head.

1.01.2—Split Hand (Ip, 158); 2, Lancashire Chap (Chao, 155); 3, Sahara Star (Proulx, 155). 1 and 1.

Half Mile & 170 Yards

1.07.0—Bear Claw (Maitland, 161); 2, Gladiator (Marshall, 158); 3, Oak Bay (Davis, 161). 2 and short head.

1.07.0—Lancashire Lass (Ip, 151); 2, Scenic View (Pih, 140); 3, Rose-Queen (Poy, 168). ½ and neck.

1.07.1—New Star (Tang, 151); 2, Harvest View (Pih, 140); 3, Potentate (Encarnacao, 168). Neck and 1.

1.08.3—Cameronian (Encarnacao, 161); 2, Humdrum Eve (Marshall, 158); 3, Just In Time (Pote-Hunt, 161). 4 and 1½.

1.09.4—Laughing Buddha (Li, 153); 2, Royal Highness (Proulx, 143); 3, Night View (Pih, 158). 1½ and neck.

1.12.0—Dekko (Proulx, 153); 2, Piet Hein (Pih, 149); 3, Valorous (Fung, 162). Head and head.

1.12.4—Piet Hein (Chao, 155); 2, Dekko (Maitland, 161); 3, Meteor (Poy, 166). 1 and ½.

1.13.2—Estover (Feilden, 163); 2, Meteor (Raymond, 150); 3, Atomic Star (Pan, 145) and Tabby Cat (Pih, 159) dead heat. 1 and 1.

1.14.0—Tribute (Colson, 147); 2, Cape Comorin (H. Botelho, 147); 3, Astrik (Gregory, 140). ½ and 1½.

5 Furlongs

1.11.3—Araxy (Proulx, 155); 2, Mac's Adventure (Chao, 152); 3, Lucky Eleven (Shu, 158). Neck and head.

6 Furlongs

1.25.0—Oak Bay (Proulx, 161); 2, Gladiator (Fung, 158); 3, Harvest View (Pih, 161). Short head and 4.

1.25.3—Gladiator (Proulx, 156); 2, Oak Bay (Encarnacao, 160); 3, Wild Life (Black, 156). 2½ and ½.

1.26.3—Humdrum Eve (Pih, 165); 2, Just In Time (Encarnacao, 149); 3, Amberley (Fung, 147). 1½ and 1½.

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Half Mile & 170 Yards

1.00.2—Derby Day (Tang, 155); 2, Ranger (Black, 152); 3, Discovery Bay (Maitland, 152). 2½ and 2½.

1.01.2—Double Finesse (Liang, 160); 2, Courting Eve (Pih, 150); 3, Lancashire Chips (Proulx, 155). Short head and 2.

1.02.1—King's Privilege (Needa, 149); 2, Bredon (Proulx, 146); Macquarie River (Black, 153). Short head and 1½.

1.04.3—Brutus (Raymond, 152); 2, Twilight Star (Proulx, 152); 3, Discovery Bay (Liang, 165). ½ and ½.

1.05.2—A Better Time (Pote-Hunt, 152); 2, Macquarie River (Maitland, 152); 3, The Buffer (Needa, 152). Neck and 1.

6 Furlongs

1.17.2—Vixen Tor (Proulx, 149); 2, Little Audrey (Black, 148); Lucky Lad (Poy, 149). 2 and head.

1.18.0—Double Finesse (Pih, 155); 2, Lancashire Chips (Raymond, 155); 3, Blandford (Tao, 157). 2 and 2.

1.19.0—Centre Court (Gregory, 155); 2, Dick Turpin (Poy, 146); 3, Vixen Tor (Proulx, 159). Many and 2.

1.20.0—Violet Queen (Raymond, 145); 2, Zodiac (Liang, 164); 3, Snowy

River (Encarnacao, 162). Head and ½.

1.20.3—Criffel (Pote-Hunt, 152); 2, Macquarie River (Maitland, 152); Little Audrey (Pih, 155). 2 & 3.

1.21.2—Tornado Star (Marshall, 152); 2, Annabella (Proulx, 155); 3, Lucky Lad (Poy, 152). Head, neck.

One Mile

1.44.2 (record) — Strathroy (Black, 165); 2, Courting Eve (Pih, 150); 3, Lancashire Chips (Proulx, 150). ½ and 1½.

1.46.0—Lancashire Chips (Proulx, 161); 2, Blandford (Tao, 162); 3, Aztec (Gregory, 137). Head and 2.

1.46.2—Katinka (Ralph, 149); 2, Vixen Tor (Proulx, 146); 3, Bag Tor (Gregory, 139). 3 & head.

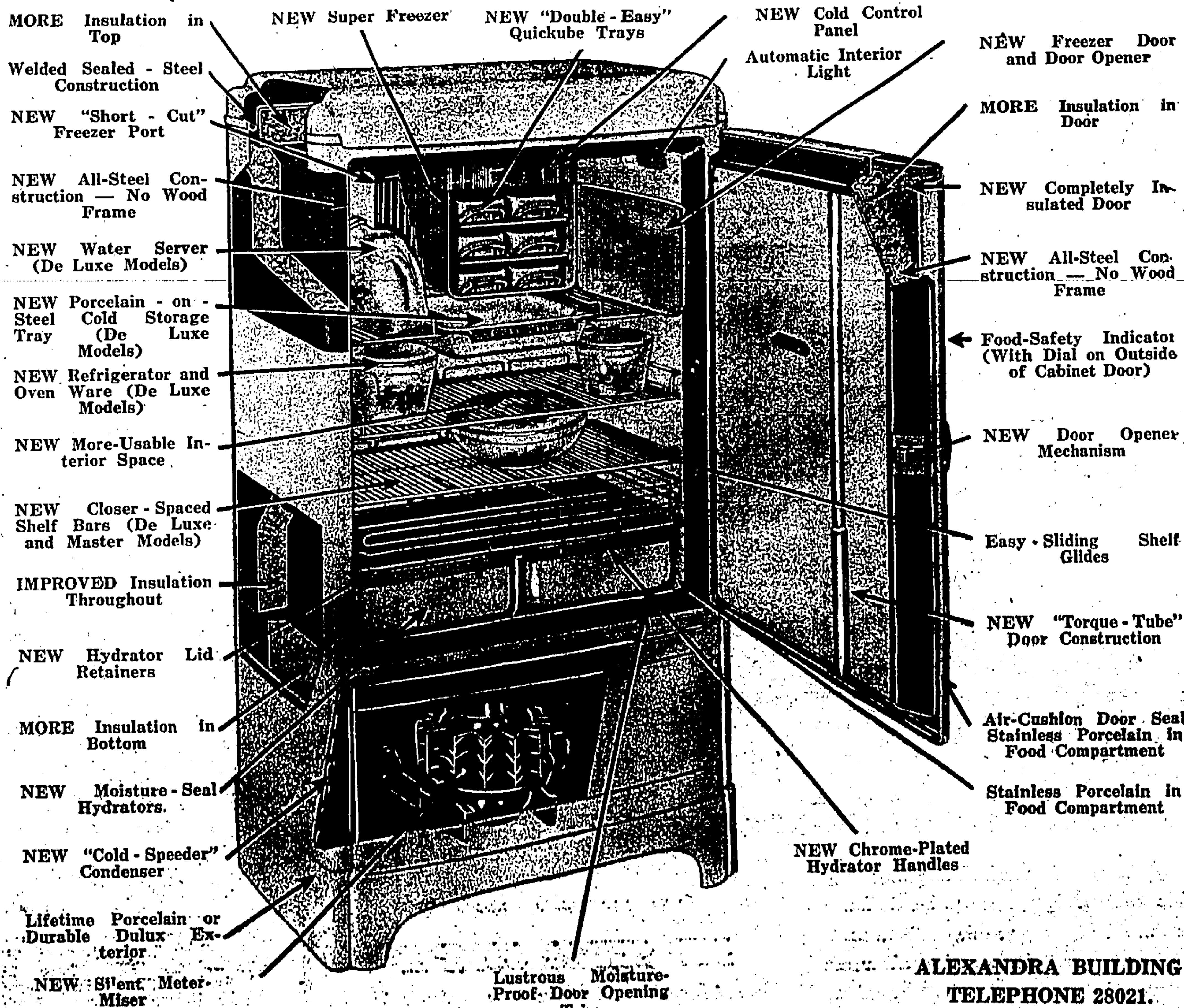
1.47.3—Home Brew (Raymond, 165); 2, Aztec (Chao, 152); 3, Katinka (Encarnacao, 157). 1½ and 2.

1.47.3—Twilight Star (Tao, 153); 2, Brutus (Black, 155); 3, Zodiac (Liang, 160). 2 and Neck.

1.51.2—Little Audrey (Pih, 155); 2, Murray River (Maitland, 155); 3, King's Privilege (Needa, 152). and 3.

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CHINA PONIES

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- 1.27.0—Confusion Bay (Black, 158); 2, New Star (Raymond, 140); 3, Honey-moon Eve (Pih, 149). Neck and 1.
- 1.27.1—Silkylight (Moller, 161); 2, Cameronian (Encarnacao, 161); 3, Lancashire Lass (Noodt, 161). 2 and 1.
- 1.27.3—Expression Time (Tao, 161); 2, Handicap Eve (Fung, 154); 3, Rose Jane (Poy, 140). 1½ and 5.
- 1.28.2—National Pride (Pih, 161); 2, Humdrum Eve (Marshall, 158); 3, Lancashire Lass (Noodt, 161). 1 and 1.
- 1.28.3—Honey-moon Eve (Pih, 155); 2, Boolat Bay (Black, 145); 3, Potentate (Poy, 168). 1½ and 1½.
- 1.30.0—Laughing Buddha (F. F. Li, 151); 2, Night View (Pih, 158); 3, Rose Evelyn (Encarnacao, 158). Neck and 1½.
- 1.30.2—Salvage Master (Black, 147); 2, Desert Star (Tang, 156); 3, Final Triumph (Poy, 140). Head and ½.
- 1.31.0—Desert Star (Moller, 156); 2, Smiling Thru (Encarnacao, 161); 3, Louis XIV (Tang, 161). 2 and ½.
- 1.31.0—Humdrum Eve (Pih, 165); 2, Just In Time (Liang, 151); 3, Lancashire Lass (Ip, 162); ½ and 1½.
- 1.31.3—Dekko (Proulx, 151); 2, National Dignity (Chanson, 140); 3, Charybdis (Liang, 158). 2 and 2.
- 1.32.2—Borrachito (Noodt, 152); 2, Golden Cow (Liang, 155); 3, Five Rulers (Tang, 149). 1 and 1½.
- 1.32.2—Good Morning (Yuen, 148); 2, Racing Boy (Chanson, 140); 3, Tempest (Chao, 152). Short head and short head.
- 7 Furlongs
- 1.46.3—Handicap Eve (Yeung, 151); 2, Lancashire Lass (Gregory, 161); 3, Humdrum Eve (K. I. Ip, 152). Short head and short head.
- 7 Furlongs 49 Yards
- 1.46.2—Potentate (Encarnacao, 158); 2, Soldier of Honour (Pote-Hunt, 161); 3, Boolat Bay (Maitland, 161). Short head and 2.
- 1 Mile
- 1.53.2—Desert Chief (Encarnacao, 153); 2, Bear Claw (Black, 160); 3, Silkylight (Proulx, 161). 2 and 3.
- 1.58.2—Trentbridge (Needa, 161); 2, Gladiator (Marshall, 158); 3, Cossack's Beauty (Wouh, 161). ¾ and ¾.
- 1.58.3—Bear Claw (Maitland, 161); 2, Oak Bay (Davis, 161); 3, Gladiator (Marshall, 158). 4 and 1.
- 1.58.3—Honey-moon Eve (Shu, 144); 2, Havoc Eve (Marshall, 149); 3,

- Rob Roy (Encarnacao, 155). Head and head.
- 1.58.4—New Star (Tang, 156); 2, Potentate (Encarnacao, 168); 3, Humdrum Eve (Pih, 158). 1½ and short head.
- 1.59.2—Desert Chief (Encarnacao, 161); 2, Jobber (Tao, 158); 3, Lancashire Lass (Noodt, 161). Many and 1.
- 1.59.3—Half-Moon Eve (Marshall, 158); 2, Humdrum Eve (Davis, 158); 3, Lancashire Lass (Liang, 161). ¾ and 4.
- 2.01.4—Jobber (Tao, 158); 2, Half-Moon Eve (Marshall, 158); 3, Lancashire Boy (Noodt, 158). ¾ and 4.
- 2.02.0—Cameronian (Encarnacao, 168); 2, Moonlight View (Needa, 168); 3, Handicap Eve (Marshall, 161). 1 and many.
- 2.01.0—King's Lead (Needa, 155); 2, Boolat Bay (Maitland, 162); 3, Commencement Bay (Tang, 140). Short head and 1.
- 2.03.0—Election Time (Colson, 154); 2, Dekko (Proulx, 145); 3, Final Triumph (Poy, 145); Valorous (Fung, 157) dead heat. Head and ½.
- 2.03.2—Planchet (Needa, 150); 2, Louis XIV (Tang, 168); 3, Smiling Thru (Tao, 161). Short head and short head.
- 2.04.1—Expression Time (Pote-Hunt, 161); 2, Lancashire Lass (Noodt, 161); 3, Handicap Eve (Marshall, 161). 1 and 3.
- 2.04.4—Smiling Thru (Encarnacao, 161); 2, Golden Cow (Liang, 155); 3, Salvage Master (Black, 158). ¾ and 3.
- 2.05.0—Rob Roy (Yuen, 160); 2, Amberley (Gregory, 160); Scenic View (K. I. Ip, 154). 1 and 2.
- 2.05.3—Whalsey (Proulx, 159); 2, Coronation Day (Tang, 155); 3, Mac's Adventure (Noodt, 150). 1½ and 2.
- 2.06.0—Boolat Bay (Black, 168); 2, Amberley (Fung, 140); 3, Laughing Girl (Liang, 158). Short head and 1½.
- 2.06.0—Gold Coin (Liang, 158); 2, Estover (Chattey, 156); 3, Racing Boy (Tao, 158). 3 and head.
- 2.06.0—Salvage Master (Black, 158); 2, Lucky Eleven (Encarnacao, 158); 3, Fei Ying (Marshall, 158). 1½ and 2.
- 2.06.2—The Leopard (Encarnacao, 158); 2, Golden Cow (Fung, 155); 3, Planchet (Needa, 158). Neck and 2.
- 2.07.1—Bistre (Pih, 158); 2, Rose Evelyn (Encarnacao, 163); 3, Gold Sovereign (Tao, 164). 1 and 1½.
- 2.07.3—Cuban Love (K. I. Ip, 149); 2, Charybdis (Gregory, 158); 3, Dekko (Ferguson, 155). 1½ and 1½.
- 2.07.3—Final Triumph (Encarnacao, 155); 2, Borrachito (Noodt, 152);

- 3, Cuban Love (Tao, 156): ¾ and 1½.
- 2.09.3—Sea Dragon (Black, 155); 2, Cape Comorin (Li, 152); 3, Charybdis (Needa, 158). Neck and head.
- 2.09.3—Golden Cow (Liang, 168); 2, Fei Ying (Raymond, 163); 3, Charybdis (Encarnacao, 157). 1½ and 1.
- 1 Mile 171 Yards.
- 2.05.0—Desert Chief (Encarnacao, 164); 2, King's Warden (Liang, 164); 3, Gladiator (Proulx, 146). Many and 2.
- 2.08.2—Soldier of Honour (Pote-Hunt, 163); 2, Havoc Eve (Marshall, 149); 3, Cossack's Beauty (Pih, 168). Short head and 2½.
- 2.09.3—Liberty Bay (Maitland, 161); Soldier of Honour (Pote-Hunt, 161); Trentbridge (Needa, 161). Many and 1.
- 2.11.1—Honey-moon Eve (Pih, 156); 2, New Star (Tang, 151); Red Feather (Black, 168). Short head and 2.
- 2.12.0—Jobber (Gregory, 164); 2, Half-Moon Eve (K. I. Ip, 168); 3, Lancashire Lass (H. Botelho, 154). Head and Many.
- 2.13.2—Laughing Girl (Liang, 159); 2, Royal Consort (Shu, 168); 3, Valorous (Needa, 150). 3 and 2.
- 2.14.0—Boolat Bay (Maitland, 168); 2, King's Bounty (Liang, 151); 3, Amberley (Ip Kui Ying, 140) and Tyne (Tang, 161). Head and short head.
- 2.15.2—Scenic View (Pih, 142); 2, Laughing Girl (Liang, 146); 3, Just In Time (Tao, 155). Head and head.
- 2.16.2—Golden Cow (Liang, 165); Tempest (Chao, 147); 3, Ebony Idol (Proulx, 158). 1½ and 2.
- 2.16.3—Smiling Thru (Encarnacao, 161); 2, Desert Star (Tang, 154); 3, Salvage Master (Black, 144). 2 and short head.
- 2.18.2—Rose Evelyn (Encarnacao, 163); 2, Coronation Day (Tang, 160); 3, Gold Sovereign (Tao, 164). 4 and 5.
- 2.18.3—Smiling Thru (Tao, 158); 2, Tampa Bay (Black, 140); 3, Soldier of China (Tang, 161). 2 and ¾.
- 2.19.1—Louis XIV (Tang, 161); 2, Golden Cow (Liang, 155); 3, Smiling Thru (Encarnacao, 161). 1½ and neck.
- 2.20.4—Valorous (Gregory, 158); 2, Plain View (K. I. Ip, 162); 3, Election Time (Spreckley, 168). 2½ and short head.
- 1¼ Miles
- 2.24.3—Silkylight (Moller, 161); 2, Liberty Bay (Maitland, 161); 3, King's Warden (Needa, 161). 1 and 6.
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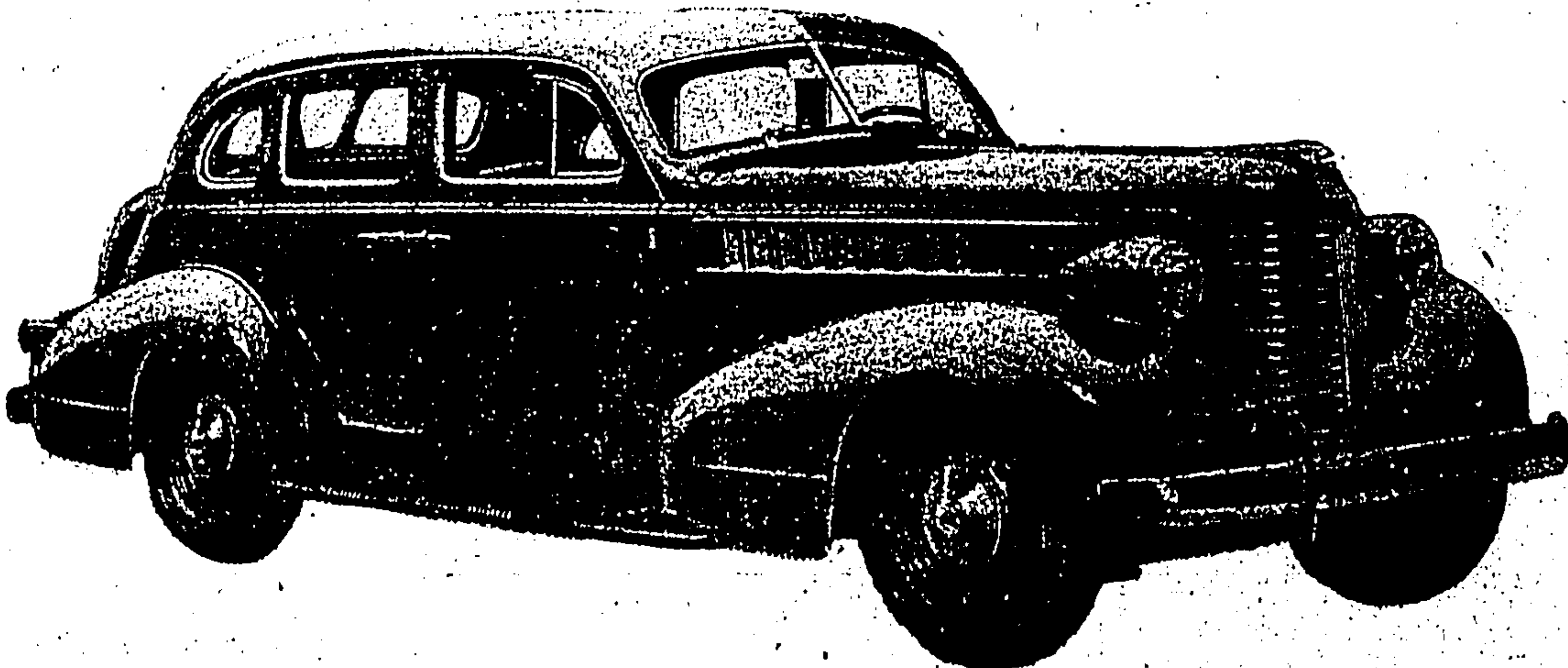
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- 1.51.3—Rex (Raymond, 152); 2, Macquarie River (Tang, 152); 3, Colorado Star (Proulx, 152). 2 and head.
- 1.53.1—Annabella (Proulx, 155); 2, Macquarie River (Maitland, 152); 3, A Lovely Time (Pote-Hunt). 4 and 4.
- 1 Mile 171 Yards
- 1.57.4—Gypsy Love (Tao, 155); 2, Lancashire Chips (Proulx, 152); 3, Home Brew (Ralph, 152). Neck and 1½.
- 2.04.4—Lucky Lad (Poy, 152); 2, The Buffer (Raymond, 147); 3, Colorado Star (Tao, 151). 1½ and 2.
- 1¼ Miles
- 2.12.4—Strathroy (Black, 152); 2, Electron (Needa, 155); 3, Blandford (Maitland, 152). 4 and ½.
- 2.16.0—Courting Eve (Pih, 148); 2, Blandford (Poy, 142); 3, Strathroy (Black, 165). 6 and 2.
- 2.16.1—Electron (Needa, 154); 2, Strathroy (Black, 154); 3, Gypsy Love (Tao, 154). 2 and 1½.
- 2.22.2—Murray River (Maitland, 155); 2, Colorado Star (Davis, 152); 3, Rex (Raymond, 152). Many and 5.
- 1½ Miles.
- 2.51.0—Tornado Star (Marshall, 152); 2, Annabella (Proulx, 155); 3, Murray River (Maitland, 155). 1½ and neck.



- 2.28.2—Cameronian (Encarnacao, 166); 2, Moonlight View (Pih, 161); 3, Half Moon Eve (Fung, 148). 1½ and head.
- 2.28.4—Silkylight (Proulx, 168); 2, Red Feather (Tang, 141); 3, Cossack's Beauty (Pih, 141). 1½ and 1.
- 2.30.4—King's Warden (Needa, 163); 2, Wild Life (Maitland, 153); 3, Soldier of Honour (Pote-Hunt, 158). 2½ and 4.
- 2.31.2—Red Feather (Maitland, 155); 2, Rob Roy (Encarnacao, 152); 3, Expansion Time (Pote-Hunt, 152). Head and 2.
- 2.32.3—Bistre (Chanson, 150); 2, Rose Evelyn (Encarnacao, 154); 3, Soldier of China (Tao, 161). 3 and 3.
- 2.33.4—Moonlight View (Needa, 161); 2, National Pride (Pih, 161); 3, Half-Moon Eve (Marshall, 158). 3 and 2.
- 2.34.0—Moonlight View (Needa, 161) and Confusion Bay (Maitland, 161); 3, Jobber (Tao, 158). Dead heat and 4.
- 2.34.0—Commencement Bay (Liang, 161); 2, Tyne (Tao, 161); 3, Scenic View (Pih, 140). 1½ and ¾.
- 2.34.2—Commencement Bay (Black, 140); 2, New Star (Fung, 168). 3, Bright View (Pih, 158). 1 and 2.
- 2.38.1—Louis XIV (Tang, 161); 2, Desert Star (Needa, 155); 3, Piet Hein (Chao, 155). Neck and 1½.
- 2.40.8—Louis XIV (Liang, 168); 2, Rose Evelyn (Tao, 168); 3, Salvage Master (Black, 144). 5 and 3.
- 2.49.0—Louis XIV (Tang, 161); 3, Desert Star (Needa, 155); 3, Piet Hein (Chao, 155). ¾ and 2.
- 1¼ Miles
- 3.01.3—Silkylight (Moller, 161); 2, Desert Chief (Encarnacao, 161); 3, Confusion Bay (Maitland, 161). 3 and 2.
- 3.02.0—King's Warden (Needa, 161); 2, Wild Life (Maitland, 161). 1½.
- 3.14.2—Louis XIV (Tang, 168); 2, Smiling Thru (Encarnacao, 168); 3, Salvage Master (Black, 158). 5 and 3.
- 1¼ Miles
- 3.36.1—King's Warden (Needa, 161); 2, Wild Life (Maitland, 161). Many.

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DIAMOND GOSSIP

(By "Ubique")

Last week's baseball games resulted exactly as forecasted though the Volunteers could have made a better stand against the Chinese, on Saturday, when they were defeated by 10 runs to 2, eight of which were scored in one inning!

The defeat of the Indians, at the hands of Recreio, must be attributed to the former's outfielders, and in a lesser degree, to their infield. Whereas in the game against the Volunteers recently, the Indians were as safe as houses with anything in the outfield and brought off several good catches, they were very bad last Sunday.

M. el Arculli did not pitch his usual reliable game while Hussain, at short-stop, had a very unpleasant afternoon. He was guilty of several errors and could not strike his best batting form. A. R. Abbas was also far below form. His handling was weak and his baseball sense with men-on-base was very poor.

Recreio did not play brilliant baseball. They hit Arculli early in the game and coupled with several fielding errors established a useful lead from the start which was sufficient for the rest of the game. E. Gosano who played a few innings before being called away on duty, was seen at short-stop, while Pereira was at third-base. Alvares pitched a good game and met with success from the start.

There was some unpleasantness when the Volunteers arrived for the game against the Hong Kong Baseball Club to find only six of the latter Club ready to take the field. It transpired that their "star" players had not arrived for some reason.

After waiting for 20 minutes and with no sign of their appearing the Volunteers clamoured for the Club to take the field. A shower further de-

K.C.C.—C.S.C.C. BOWLS MATCH TO COMMENCE 4 P.M.

The First Division Lawn Bowls League match between Kowloon Cricket Club and the Civil Service Cricket Club will commence at 4 p.m. and not at 3.30 p.m. as scheduled.

laid the start and 50 minutes after the scheduled time the game was eventually started, the Club being aided by Brown, the vice-president of the League, and a spectator.

The Volunteers could have claimed the game by forfeit, but the sole reason why the Corps joined the League was to "play ball!"

It did not make much difference to the Corps whether they won or lost the game, but I am afraid that the Club would not have received the same consideration from other teams, more favourably placed in the League.

Another thing, the game between Recreio and Indians was in consequence delayed and I understand that these teams are writing in on this point.

Though the Club fielded a depleted team at the start the Volunteers were not able to take advantage of this and were only one run in the lead at the end of the second inning. The arrival of Madigan saw the game liven up, but the Volunteers scored three runs off him while they showed a greater improvement in their fielding.

This week's game should be interesting. The Club encounter the Chinese to-day, while to-morrow the Volunteers entertain Recreio.

The Indians are expected to lose their second game against the Chinese, though the latter would have played last Saturday.

FOURSOMES HELD YESTERDAY

Stowe's Putting Lapse Concedes One Of The Matches

HECTOR THOMSON BRILLIANT

Great Britain are leading the United States in the biennial Walker Cup golf series by 2 matches to 1 with one halved as a result of yesterday's foursomes, which were held under trying conditions, alternating rain and sunshine prevailing.

The early stages of the game saw most of the players exhibiting signs of nervousness, but performances were better in the second round, although there were some bad putting lapses, Charles Stowe missing a yard putt at the 34th to concede his match to Charles Yates and Ray Billows.

The position following the first 18 holes of the morning round saw Great Britain and the United States on level terms.

The following were the final scores in the foursomes:—

Gordon Peters and Hector Thomson (Great Britain) beat J. G. Goodman and M. H. Ward (U.S.) 4 up and 2 to play.

Charles Yates and Ray Billows (U.S.) beat Alexander Kyle and Charles Stowe (G.B.) 3 up and 2 to play.

Leonard G. Crawley and J. J. F. Pennink (G.B.) beat Reynolds Smith and F. T. Hass (U.S.) 2 up and 1 to play.

J. W. Fischer and C. Kocsis (U.S.) halved with H. G. Bentley and James Buren (G.B.).

The Duke of Kent, the Club's captain, arrived by air.

A strong westerly wind, almost reaching gale force, swept St. Andrew's all day.

FIRST 18 HOLES

The position at the end of the first 18 holes was:—

J. W. Fischer and C. Kocsis (U.S.) 3 up on H. G. Bentley and James Buren (G.B.).

Gordon Peters and Hector Thomson (G.B.) 2 up on J. G. Goodman and M. H. Ward (U.S.).

C. R. Yates and R. E. Billows (U.S.) 5 up on A. Kyle and Charles Stowe (G.B.).

L. G. Crawley and J. J. F. Pennink 3 up on Reynolds Smith and E. T. Haas (U.S.).

Heavy rain fell during the lunch interval, but the sun made an appearance for the second round of the foursomes. Members of both teams were introduced to H.R.H. the Duke of Kent, who is captain of St. Andrew's, before the resumption.

The cards were:

FIRST HALF

FISCHER AND KOCSIS (U.S.) 5 4 6 4 5 4 4 3 4 3 3 3 5 4 4 4 4.

BENTLEY AND BRUEN (G.B.) 4 5 5 5 4 5 4 3 4 4 2 4 4 5 4 4 4 5.

There was a suspicion of nerves in the early stages. The Britons made a good start and the Americans did not secure the lead until the turn, but from that point they played brilliantly. Bruen squared at the 11th by holing out with a long tricky downhill putt.

PETERS AND THOMSON (G.B.) 4 4 4 4 5 5 4 3 4 4 3 5 4 4 3 4 4.

GOODMAN AND WARD (U.S.) 4 5 5 5 6 4 4 3 3 4 4 4 4 5 4 3 4.

Both Ward and Thomson were weak with their putting although Ward sank a long one from the edge of the green at the 17th. Thomson was hitting beautifully with his irons.

YATES AND BILLOWS (U.S.) 4 4 5 5 4 4 3 4 4 4 3 4 6 4 4 5 4.

KYLE AND STOWE (G.B.) 5 5 5 4 6 5 4 3 4 4 4 4 5 4 4 6 5 3.

Yates missed a foot putt at the third and one of a couple of yards on the 14th. Kyle was in disappointing form, erratic in his driv-

ing and weak in his putting. Billows struck the pin with his second at the 12th, but the ball did not enter the hole.

CRAWLEY AND PENNINK (G.B.) 5 5 4 4 6 4 4 3 4 5 3 3 4 3 5 4 4 4.

SMITH AND HAAS (U.S.) 5 4 5 5 5 4 4 4 4 5 4 4 4 6 4 3 4 5.

Smith missed a yard putt at the first but cleverly negotiated a stymie at the second. Crawley holed a seven yarder at the fourth, but missed a five-footer at the fifth. Haas missed a two-yarder at the eighth and Smith went out of bounds at the 14th. Pennink, after missing a yard putt at the 15th, made a faulty approach to the 16th, but Haas made a lovely chip from an awkward lie in front of a bunker at the 17th, only to miss a two-yard putt at the next.

DUKE WATCHES GOODMAN

The Duke of Kent watched the match in which Goodman was featured. The American champion was erratic in his play while his putting together with that of his partner Ward was inclined to be weak, although Goodman sank a four-yarder at the 29th, while Ward holed out from 12 yards at the 31st.

ROCKFEL WINS THE OAKS

London, To-day. — Rockfel, backed at 3 to 1, yesterday won the Oaks, at Epsom, from Radiant, a 100 to 7 chance, while Solar Flower, backed at 100 to 9 was third. There were 14 starters and the race was won by four lengths, 1½ lengths separating the second and third horses.—Reuter.

Thomson was in magnificent form with his irons and carried his ball dead to the pin, with a mashie niblick, for the match.

Charles Stowe's approaching was good, but Alexander Kyle was weak on the greens although he holed a four yarder at the 33rd. Stowe had a bad lapse at the 34th when he missed a yard putt, giving the Americans the match.

Haas missed a yard putt at the 25th, and the Americans took three strokes from 15 yards at the 26th. The Britons took the match when Haas was twice bunkered at the 35th.

EXTRAORDINARY INCIDENT

There was an extraordinary incident at the 21st hole in the match between Fischer and Kocsis and Bentley and Bruen when Fischer missing a three yards putt, absent mindedly knocked the ball into the hole which should have lost the Americans that hole, but Bentley conceded a half.

Bentley and Bruen were inclined to be timid on the greens which proved their main weakness during the morning.

At the 24th Bruen cleverly negotiated a stymie and in the closing minutes some brilliant play was seen.

The Americans were two up and three to play at the 35th when Bentley brilliantly holed out from 20 yards! At the 36th hole Bruen was three inches short with an eight yard putt.

The following were the scores for the second 18 holes of the foursomes:

SECOND HALF

FISCHER AND KOCSIS (U.S.) 4 5 4 4 4 5 4 2 4 4 3 3 4 4 4 4 4 4.

BENTLEY AND BRUEN (G.B.) 4 5 4 4 4 4 4 4 3 4 2 4 4 4 4 3 3 4.

PETERS AND THOMSON (G.B.) 5 5 4 5 5 4 7 3 4 4 3 4 4 5 5 3.

GOODMAN AND WARD (U.S.) 4 4 5 5 7 5 4 4 4 5 2 4 3 5 5 5.

YATES AND BILLOWS (U.S.) 4 4 4 4 5 5 4 3 4 4 4 3 5 5 5 4.

KYLE AND STOWE (G.B.) 4 4 5 5 5 4 5 3 4 4 3 3 4 4 4 4.

CRAWLEY AND PENNINK (G.B.) 6 5 4 4 5 4 4 3 4 4 4 4 4 5 4 4 5.

REYNOLDS SMITH AND HAAS (U.S.) 3 6 4 3 5 4 5 4 4 3 4 4 4 4 4 4 5.

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1 p.m.—Local Time Signal and Weather Report.
1.03 p.m.—Primo Scala's Accordeon Band with Les Allen (Baritone). Six Hits—No. 14.
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6 p.m.—Haydn—Quartet In G Major, Op. 64, No. 4. Played by the Pro Arte Quartet (Onnou—Halleux—Prevost—Maas).
6.17 p.m.—Rubinstein at the Piano. Polonaise-Fantaisie No. 7 in A Flat Major, Op. 61 (Chopin).
Andante Spianato, Op. 22 (Chopin).
6.34 p.m.—Songs by Margherita Perrus (Soprano).
Ave Maria (Bach—Gounod).
Il Pensieroso (Handel).
6.44 p.m.—Closing local Stock Quotations.
6.46 p.m.—Variety & Dance Programme.
8 p.m.—Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.
8.03 p.m.—B.B.C. Wireless Singers.
O Hush Thee, My Babe (Sir W.

Scott & A. Sullivan).
O Who Will O'er The Downs So Free? (de Pearsall).
Morgenblätter—Vocal Waltz (Johann Strauss, Op. 279).
Mystic Woods (Words, O Turner; Music, Arr. M. Farrar).

8.20 p.m.—London Relay—"London Log".
8.30 p.m.—Studio—Recital by Molly O'Halloran (Piano) & Claire Hartgo (Violin).

1. Nell Gwyn Dances (Edward German).
2. Gypsy Moon (Borganoff).
3. Love Everlasting (Friml).
4. Toselli's Serenade.
5. New Moon Selection (Rombert).

9 p.m.—Studio—A Talk on local "Lawn Bowls" by Claude Hosking.
9.10 p.m.—Variety Numbers.
Vocal—Serenade (Heykens—Krutzfeld); Good Night, Oh! My Love! (Abt—Seyffardt—arr. Hohne).... Herbert E. Groh, (Tenor) with Orchestra.

Talking—Building A Chicken House (Evans)..... Will Evans.
Vocal—Whispers In The Dark (From "Artists and Models"); I Will Pray (Beverley Nichols)... Francis Day (Soprano) with Orchestra.

9.30 p.m.—London Relay—The News.
9.50 p.m.—Relay of The Dance Orchestra from the Grill Room of the Hong Kong Hotel.

(a)-(d) Tangos and Rumbas.
10.05 p.m.—Interval of recorded dance music from ZBW.

10.15 p.m.—(a) A Serenade to the Stars; (b) Caravan; (c) Where is the sun? (d) Riffin at the Ritz.

10.30 p.m.—Interval of recorded dance music from ZBW.

10.35 p.m.—(a) You took the words right out of my heart; (b) Mamma, Mamma, that moon is here again; (c) Thanks for the memory; (d) Danger, love at work.

10.50 p.m.—Interval of recorded dance music from ZBW.

11.00 p.m.—(a)-(d) Waltzes.

11.15 p.m.—Interval of recorded dance music from ZBW.

11.20 p.m.—(a) Lovelight in the Starlight; (b) Ain't Misbehavin'; (c) What will I tell my heart; (d) Donkey's Serenade.

11.35 p.m.—Interval of recorded dance music from ZBW.

11.45 p.m.—(a) My love is in Kalua; (b) Big Chief "Swing It"; (c) Who are we to say; (d) College Swing.

12 midnight.—Close down.

Dance Music: Haydn Quartet: Irish Programme

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5.45 a.m.—The BBC Military Band.

6.40 a.m.—'London Log.'

6.50 a.m.—The News and Announcements. Greenwich Time Signal at 7.00 a.m.

7.15 a.m.—Close Down.

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11.55 a.m.—Programme of Traditional Welsh Music.

12.20 p.m.—'London Log.'

12.30 p.m.—'Milestones of Melody.' With Geraldo and his Concert Orchestra.

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1.57 p.m.—Opening Announcements.

2.00 p.m.—Big Ben. Empire Exhibition Visit: The Palace of Engineering. A short description of the building and contents, and interviews with some of the officials. From the Empire Exhibition (Scotland).

2.15 p.m.—Callender's Second Band.

3.00 p.m.—'At the Black Dog.' Mr. Wilkes at home in his own bar-parlour.

3.30 p.m.—Yascha Krein and his Gipsy Orchestra.

4.00 p.m.—The News and Announcements. Greenwich Time Signal at 4.15 p.m.

4.25 p.m.—Marius B. Winter and his Dance Orchestra.

5.00 p.m.—Close Down.

BRIDGE NOTES

By ELY CULBERTSON

On Improving One's Game

A reader inquires this week how she should plan an all-round improvement in her game; she has played contract bridge ever since it became popular, and confesses to a horrid suspicion that her game is stationary. Such an intelligent query deserves a full answer. Players differ in respect of the following components, all of which are essential to playing a first-class game:—1, Bidding; 2, defence; 3, play as declarer; 4, adaptability to various partners.

Of these four components the first and third can be learnt from books, and a high degree of excellence at both can be acquired by mere industry. Accurate bidding, for example, implies first of all the mastery of a given system; and, secondly, the ability to value a hand. Bidding is normally a joint affair, so that perfect bidding is impossible with a stupid partner, but, subject to that solitary exception, bidding can be learnt from books. Similarly, the play of two hands as declarer is dissected in every possible aspect and at inordinate length in a multitude of books which can be mastered precisely as a book on knitting or cookery can be mastered.

Play, like bidding, occasionally invades the field of psychology, but in both departments of the game a standard which falls only just short of genius can be attained by hard work. Yet only a small minority of players are willing to face the necessary exertion. I played recently with three people who have been contract enthusiasts for eight or nine years. All three play at least one three-hour session every day of their lives, and often play from 3 p.m. to 6.30 p.m. and again from 8.30 p.m. to 11 p.m. None of them possesses more than a nodding acquaintance with the system by which they bid. None of them knows the meaning of such simple plays as elimination or the Bath coup; none of them are capable of playing for a squeeze. In the course of a year they throw away about a million points apiece as the result of these elementary ignorances. They are incapable of bidding any but a cast-iron game except by accident. Their slam bidding is always a merry gamble and costs far more points in a year than it produces. If any of them had sent me the query with which these notes

open my first advice to them would be to master a short handbook on their bidding system; and my second advice would be to master a book on the less straightforward plays, such as elimination and squeezing.

But my experience of the happy-go-lucky player suggests that his or her main failing is an abysmal ignorance of defence. When I am partnered with one of them, and we win the declaration, I expect my partner to sacrifice on the average one trick in the play of the hand, a trick which often makes the difference between a won or lost rubber; a made or an unmade slam. But if we lose the declaration I confidently anticipate that on the average we shall throw away two tricks in defence. The loss of these two tricks will often present the opposition with a game, a rubber, or a slam. Far more serious is the stopper which it applies to all penalty doubles. For example, I realise from the bidding and from my own hand that we ought to defeat a vulnerable enemy contract of 4S by two tricks, assuming intelligent defence. But if my partner is sure to lead her singleton in the enemy's secondary suit with the idea of ruffing its second round, and she thereby extracts my sole stopper in that suit, and promptly has all her trumps drawn, the foe may make an overtrick, and I dare not double. This blunder transforms a potential penalty of 500 into an enemy rubber. Worse than that, my inability to double encourages the enemy to push us without penalty, and in turn deprives us alike of games and of penalty points.

No subject better repays study by the second-class and third-class player than defence. If bad players, accustomed to one or more sessions on over 300 days of every year, sacrifice a million points per annum by indifferent bidding, and inferior play as declarers, they probably throw away two million points by unintelligent defence. As far as I know, there is no published book dealing exclusively with defence though there are excellent and exhaustive chapters on the subject in my "Red Book." If such players realised that skill in defence frequently endows really atrocious hands with a thrilling interest, they would not grudge the labour demanded to sharpen their defensive technique.

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DOIHARA DIVISION NEAR EXHAUSTION

Hankow, To-day.

Reviewing the military situation, the Chinese spokesman emphasised the importance of the Chinese recapturing the triangle formed by the Yellow River bend in south-western Shansi, following Chinese occupation of the strategic Yellow River crossings at Fenglingtu, opposite Tungkwang, and also Yungchi.

The Chinese forces, he said, are now attacking Linfong.

Referring to the Lanfeng situation, the spokesman stated that the Doihara Division is surrounded north-west of the Lanfeng area and is nearing exhaustion. They are also experiencing difficulties in obtaining supplies. It is reported that recently four big Japanese transport aeroplanes were sent from north of the Yellow River to drop food and supplies for the trapped Japanese.

LANFENG SITUATION

Chinese anti-aircraft guns greeted the transport planes with heavy fire, resulting in the destruction of two of the machines.

Asked regarding rumours of the fall of Lanfeng on Thursday, the spokesman stated that no such information has been received.

He declared that since the Japanese had already occupied strategic cities south of Lanfeng, including Chihsien and Luyi, he believed the

ENGLAND'S TEST TEAM CHOSEN

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are available, it is gathered that he is D. V. P. Wright, the 24-year old Kent bowler who captured over 100 wickets last season but at some expense.

His only notable performance this season has been 7 for 77 against Gloucester.

Edrich completed 1,000 runs in May and, in addition batted very well in the trial so his inclusion was certain, while of the other younger batsmen, Hutton and Compton have been so consistent that their omission was virtually impossible.

THE BOWLERS

In the bowling line there is Farnes, the fastbowler, Clay, Verity, Wright, and George Pope.

The selection of the latter will prove of more than usual interest to local cricketers as he is a cousin of C. Pope, the Police all-rounder.

His Excellency the Governor has appointed Mr. William James Lockhart-Smith to be a Police Magistrate, with effect from 2nd June, 1938.

Chinese troops at Lanfeng were withdrawing to new defences westward in order to avoid being encircled by the Japanese.—Reuter.

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About 30 bombs have been dropped this morning in a Japanese air raid on Canton, which is still going on, says a Reuter report.

The bombs appear to be dropping between the Government offices and the Canton-Kowloon Railway terminus. Huge columns of smoke are rising, and it is feared the casualties have been heavy.

One objective of the raiders is believed to be the naval dock, which lies behind the Railway terminus.

The Japanese planes are flying over Shameen repeatedly, and are releasing their bombs before they pass over the foreign Settlement, allowing the wind to carry the missiles over the island into Canton proper.

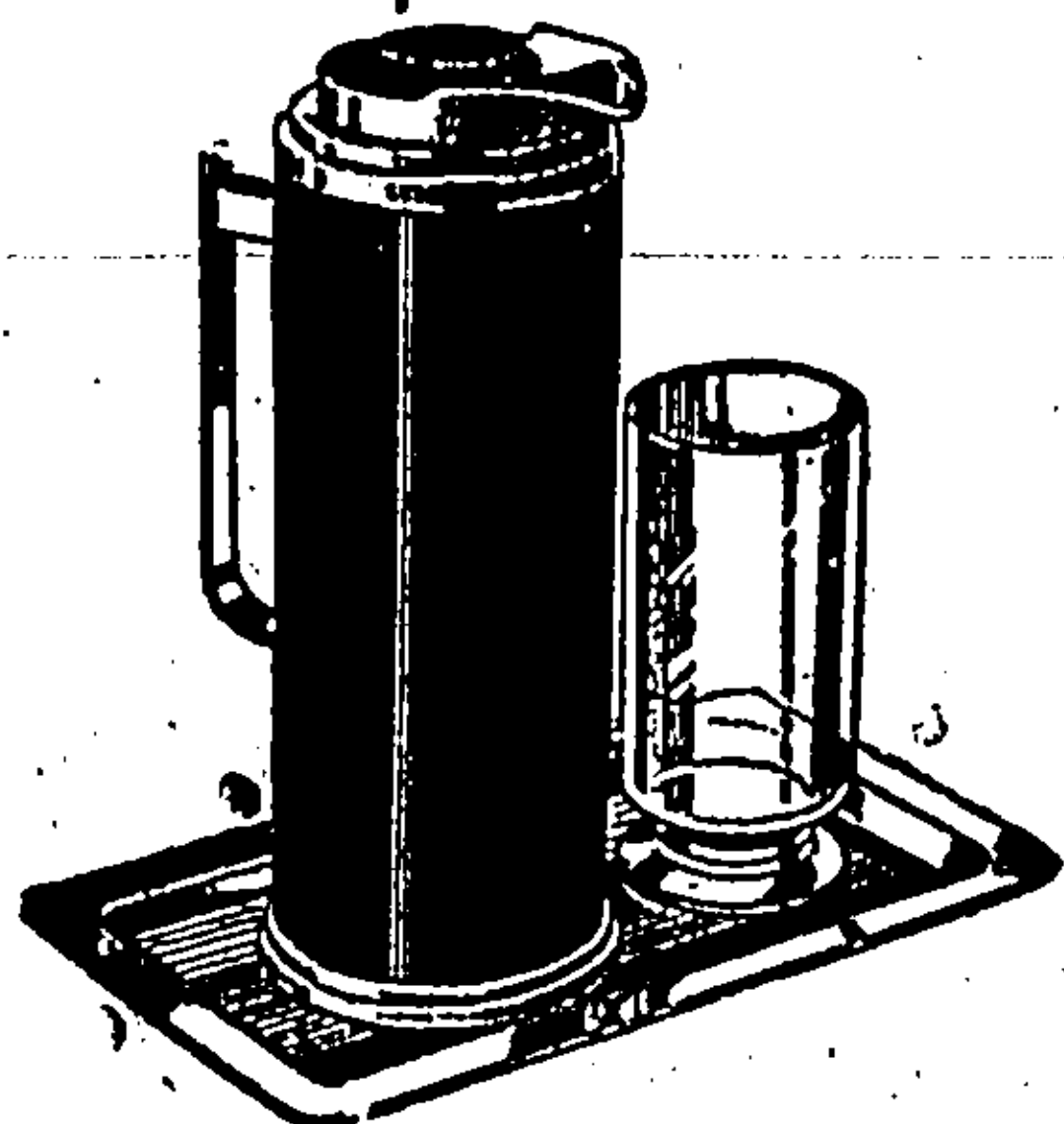
London, To-day.

The result of the by-election at West Derby caused by the succession of Lord Hartington to the Dukedom was announced this afternoon:

Hunloke (Cons.) 16,740,
White (Labour) 11,216,
Gray (Liberal) 6,515.
No change.

At the last contested election in 1929, the figures were Hartington, 16,760, Mallison (Liberal) 13,277, Miss Wilkinson (Labour) 3,660. The new member is son of Sir Philip Hunloke, the well-known yachtsman and commander of the late King George's racing yacht, Britannia. — British Wireless.

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